

'For Greenwood Fund' Stranger Hands Chief \$5 and Drives Away

While Chief Byron Burbridge was making his rounds Wednesday morning, a stranger stopped his car in front of the police chief at the corner of Main and Timothy Sts.

He called the chief to the car. "What can I do for you?" asked Chief Burbridge.

"I have been reading about the Greenwood boy in The Era and Express. I want to help him. Will you take this to the fund?"

With that, he handed the chief a five dollar bill and refusing to give his name, drove away.

The Era and Express hereby acknowledges receipt of the \$5. Allan Greenwood, for whom the fund is being raised, lost his left foot in a haying accident three weeks ago. The son of Mr. and Mrs. John Greenwood, Main St., the 14-year-old lad is now in Toronto for treatment. The fund is being raised under the temporary trusteeship of Mayor Joseph Vale as chairman, Clerk Wesley Brooks as treasurer and Editor John Meyer as secretary. The purpose of the fund is to enable Allan to complete his education.

Contributions can be made to any of the three banks, the town office or The Era and Express office, Main St., and some side streets have been canvassed by the Boy Scouts and Girl Guides, but those who have been missed are asked to make their contributions directly to their banks.

Allan is now in the Toronto General hospital where he has won the hearts of all who have met him. He is sleeping out in the balcony and has become great friends with his ward mates. His injury is healing and he expects to be home soon. Anyone who wants to visit him will find him in ward C, the third floor.

The following are additional contributions to the Greenwood fund (all contributions will be acknowledged by The Era and Express as space permits):

J. M. Faris	1.00
Ronald Watt	2.00
Bill McIntyre	5.00
Bank of Toronto	28.00
Mr. and Mrs. A. Needler	3.00
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G. Preston	2.00
J. O. Little	5.00
E. J. Davis	50.00
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Edward Owens	1.00
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L. G. Sine	2.00
Alec Rutledge	5.00
Gordon Stoutt	2.00
Acknowledged to date	\$439.25
	\$726.18

COMES SECOND

The Newmarket Era and Express came second in the annual contest conducted by the Ontario and Quebec division of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association for the best editorial page among member papers. The Fort Erie Times Review was first.

Son Purchases Business From Father

Newmarket—The transfer of a Main St. business was completed recently when the Perrin Flower shop was purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Perrin from Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Perrin. Stewart Perrin has operated the greenhouses on Gorman St. since his discharge from the army and now takes over the Main St. store as well.

The store is being managed by Miss Isabel Mitchell, daughter of Mrs. Stewart Perrin.

Cardiff Family Helped By Lions Club

Newmarket — T. F. Doyle, secretary of the Lions club, has received a letter of thanks from a family in Cardiff, Wales, for the personal parcel sent them by the club. The club's participation in the personal parcel plan is only one aspect of the Lions service activities. In the club year just ended, Newmarket Lions contributed \$500 to food-for-Britain funds.

The club funds are raised mainly through their two-day carnival, this year scheduled for Wednesday and Thursday, Aug. 18 and 19. The carnival on the Wednesday will be held in Lions club park and will feature with its games and amusements, a tent show for young and old. Thursday night will see the street dance on Main St.

Boake Family Has Second Reunion

Newmarket — The second annual Boake reunion was held at the Lions club park on Monday. Members of the family were present from Weston, Toronto, Uxbridge, King City, Guthrie, Holt, and other points in Ontario. During the afternoon both old and young joined in games of softball.

Eighty-five sat down to a picnic lunch, which was enjoyed by all, after which races and competitions were held and various prizes given. There was also a prize given to the oldest and youngest present. Jas. W. Knott, Holt, who will be 80 years August 26, and Judith Marilyn Thompson, 13 months, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Thompson, Holt.

Harold Boake, Toronto, was elected president; Vernon Boake, Toronto, vice - president; Mrs. Mildred Murray, Toronto, secretary-treasurer for the coming year. All are looking forward to next year's reunion.

Six Teams Definite For Queensville Day

Queensville — Six teams have entered the Queensville Sports Day August 14, according to Rex Smith, chairman of the event. The teams are from Aurora, Newmarket, Buttonville-Unionville, Mount Albert, Queensville and Miami Beach. Two other possibilities are Cookstown and Churchill.

In the meantime, preparations are nearing completion for the first annual sports day in this centre. Besides the softball tournament, the committee has laid out a schedule of races for old and young, games and contests of every variety. There will be a concert performance as well with dancing in the evening.

NAB FOUR IN CAR

Aurora—Alert work by Constable William Langman resulted in the arrest of four Toronto men on Sunday morning in charge of a stolen car. Noticing a car parked in front of a local restaurant without a license plate, Constable Langman followed the youths out Wellington St. and took them into custody. They were turned over to the Toronto police, the car being stolen in Toronto. They will appear in Toronto police court.

RETURN FROM CAMP

Newmarket—A happy group of girls returned from Camp Ashunoyong (North York Boys' and Girls' camp) on Saturday, July 31. The senior camp will be held from August 2 to August 30 on the same camp grounds. Miss Janet Steele, 30½ Nairn Ave., Toronto, is the registrar for the senior girls. Any of the senior girls from this area may attend these camps which are now in session during this month.

Harvest Labor Lack Said Serious Here

Newmarket—A serious shortage of labor for harvesting crops is reported by the employment office here. The July report from the office says that hay crops were better than expected and that storm damage to grain, while damaging some fields, has not been extensive.

It is said that efforts are being made to interest factory workers on a five-day week and unemployed persons in harvest work on the farms. Farm wages are higher than ever before this year, \$5 and up per day for mixed and dairy farming and up to 60 cents per hour for vegetable farm workers. Unskilled or immature farm workers do not get as high wages.

Simcoe St. House Ruined By Fire

Newmarket — Fire partially destroyed an empty house at 17 Simcoe St. W. late Sunday afternoon. The possibility of children starting the fire has been reported and neighbors in the district said that youngsters have been playing in and around the house since it was vacated after a fire nearly two years ago. There was no insurance.

Before the first fire, part of the house was used for dry cleaning operations. A tank of cleaning fluid was removed from the house during Sunday's fire. Some furniture left in the house was burned. Owner of the residence is Teddy Duncan.

Howard Brown, Davis Dr., was the first person to discover the fire from smoke coming from the roof. He went over to Simcoe St. and used the fire box across the street from the burning house while Ernie Dewsbury, 20 Simcoe W., phoned in the alarm. By the time the alarm was phoned, flames were shooting through the roof, according to neighbors.

The house had not been repaired since the last fire and a neighbor said that the electric wiring had been cut off. The upstairs was completely destroyed and the rest of the house was badly burned. The worst part was above the staircase. The house is in a dilapidated condition with boards loose and foundation work at a precarious angle.

Bowlers Prepare For Trebles Contest

Newmarket—The Newmarket Lawn Bowling club this year inaugurates its annual Era and Express and Merchants' trebles tournament on Saturday, Aug. 23. The prize list runs to \$800 with first prize, three gladstone bags. The tournament is limited to 88 entries with the first 48 bowling on the Newmarket greens and the remainder on Aurora greens. The Richmond Hill greens will be pressed into service if necessary. Delbert Gibney is accepting entries. First draw will be made at 9 a.m. and the second at 11 a.m.

The Era and Express is contributing a trophy with miniatures for each year's winners. Merchants contributing are Macnab Hardware, Stewart Beare, Lane's Drug Store, Smith's Hardware, Roadhouse and Rose, Ang West, R. C. Morrison, Pollock's Shoes, Geer and Byers, Newmarket Radio Electric, Jack Fraser Stores, Brice's Meat Market, Arctic Lockers, Best's Drug Store, Morton Bros., Yates Jewellers, C. G. Wainman, Ray Jewell, King George Hotel and Mayfair Restaurant.

PIKE SAID ON INCREASE

Pike which are being caught in great numbers in the Holland River and Cook's Bay district are said to have become very numerous in the last year and have been blamed for killing young muskrats and water fowl in the Holland Marsh. Residents say that more than 200 have been caught every weekend since the season has opened and that there are no signs of slackening.

Cambridge Letter Thanks Parcel Donors

From London, Glasgow, Weybridge, Surrey and all sections of Great Britain letters of thanks are being received in Newmarket from the recipients of the personal parcels packed by the Newmarket committee and shipped monthly to over 120 families.

In a letter received by Mrs. P. J. Tod from Cambridge, Mrs. Russell writes: "I must confess I am at a loss for words to describe my great amazement and pleasure to receive a parcel of foodstuffs which you have so kindly donated."

"We are three in number since my mother's death two years ago—my father, my crippled sister, 23, and myself. My father was a member of the civil defence wardens' organization during the war and I did war work. My sister, through her affliction, has never been able to work."

"There are so many lovely places to see in and around Cambridge. Being a university town we naturally have many beautiful buildings in the colleges and some lovely grounds that really look their best in spring time when the avenues are one mass of white, purple and orange crocuses, to be followed later with dancing daffodils."

"My chief hobby is the St. John's Ambulance Brigade. We have our definite duties such as actual ambulance work and helping in hospitals."

"Just a point of interest, Cambridge is roughly 14 miles from another Newmarket. Before I close I would like to say a big thank you for your great kindness and also I would like to thank your food committee, not forgetting the mayor, Mr. Joseph Vale, and Mr. Jack Luck, chairman, for all they are doing for us folks over here."

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

Newmarket — Mr. Crane, S. Lth., of Wycliffe College, Toronto, will take the services at St. Paul's church for the month of August while the rector, Rev. J. T. Rhodes, and family, are on vacation. Mr. Crane will come to town Saturday evenings and remain till Monday so there will be service as usual Sunday evenings, instead of only in the morning. The Rector announced that if anyone was in need of the offices of the clergy during his absence to get in touch with Rev. H. L. Puxley, rector of Christ Church, Roche's Point or else get in touch with church warden Fred S. Thompson.

IN HOSPITAL

Newmarket — Mrs. Thomas Wallace, Gorman St., is in York County hospital.

POLICE WORK HEAVIER

Newmarket—Commenting on the volume of police activity so far this summer in York county, Constable Jack Lawrence of the county police said he thought this year exceeded last year in the amount of police work.

AURORA WOMAN WINS \$60

Aurora — Mrs. J. Ettinger won \$60 on a radio show Monday night.

Instrument Damaged Cut Dance Short

A midnight dance was cut off short at a Lake Simcoe dance hall, operated by Don Gilkes and Ralph Adams, Newmarket, on Monday morning when rowdiness at the hall resulted in the destruction of a musical instrument and some chairs.

It was at intermission, when the orchestra took time out for refreshments, that someone got in the orchestra platform and did the damage. When the band members returned, no one would admit or say who caused the destruction so the dance was closed. Police arrived but could not get any further information from the crowd.

Canadian Hoffman Has First Annual Picnic

Newmarket — The employees of Canadian Hoffman Machinery Company, Ltd., held their first annual picnic at Innisfil Park July 24 when approximately 160 went in two buses and 20 cars. There were races for the children and adults in the afternoon. Vic Higginson brought along several of his puppets, and right after supper made them dance for the children.

The ball game was a thriller and although each team had about five fielders, there were home runs galore. Danny Gill's team took an early lead and held on to win the game 16 to 14. The horse-shoe tournament was won by Don Brown and Bob LeShion after eliminating six other players. Free ice cream, pop, hot dogs, milk and tea were served at the refreshment booth. The picnic was arranged by the recreation council.

Carnival Features Amateur Contests

Aurora — A two-day carnival, August 13 and 14, sponsored by the Canadian Legion, Aurora branch 385, starts at 7 p.m., Aug. 13. Proceeds from the show will go to the legion building fund; building is hoped to be started as soon as possible.

The carnival opens with a parade starting at the south end of town with girls' and boys' decorated bicycles, doll carriages, fancy costumes and led by a clown band. Prizes will be given to participants.

One of the carnival features is an amateur show and those who plan to enter the contest are to contact T. A. M. Hulse or George Duffield. First night has radio programs, "Did I Say That?" from the stage of the open air theatre followed by "What's Your Beef." Next on the program will be the amateur show. Both evenings will have a dance and a midway.

Merchants have donated prizes including a washing machine, radio-phonograph, stove, smoker, electric fan, and shoes. Saturday afternoon and evening will feature the following contests, greasy pig, log sawing, horse-shoe pitching, nail driving and baby show. There are still plenty of entries needed for the amateur show.

North York Ladies Set For Play-offs

Secretary Harold Rogers of the North York Ladies' Softball League announces the final standing this week. It's Aurora on the top of the heap, Stouffville in second spot, Elgin Mills third and Markham bringing up the rear. Secretary Rogers is sending the teams into the semi-finals without further ado. Here's the draw for the semi-finals. A best two-of-three series:

Thursday, Aug. 5, Elgin Mills at Aurora; Wednesday, Aug. 11, Aurora at Elgin Mills; Thursday, Aug. 12, Elgin Mills at Aurora (if necessary);

In the other semi-final bracket, Monday, Aug. 9, Markham at Stouffville; Friday, Aug. 13, Stouffville at Markham; Monday, Aug. 16, Markham at Stouffville (if necessary). The winners of the two series will proceed into the finals which will be a four-of-seven saw-off.

TREATED FOR CONCUSSION

An accident on the highway between Sutton and Jackson's Point involving two cars injured Richard Holder, Sutton, Sunday night. He was treated for concussion. Holder was a passenger in a car driven by Donald Liscombe, Jackson's Point, which struck the rear of another car driven by Walter Lyons, Lindsay.

PRIZE WINNERS

Prize winners at the Mickey Smith benefit game were A. Hill, Erin Somerville, Mrs. A. Daniels, M. Stickwood, E. V. Phillips and A. Evans.

Grading To Start At Housing Site

Newmarket — Grading is to start this week on streets in the new housing project area. Town engineer Denne Bosworth says this work will be begun this week and will probably be finished next week. The grading must be completed before the houses are begun.

Construction of streets includes the continuation of Andrew St. west to meet a street running south from the top of the hill on Eagle St. A street will run south from the continuation of Andrew in the middle of the area, with another east-west street further south between it and the one running south from Eagle.

Property fronting on the south side of Eagle has been reserved for stores. Of the 50 houses, 40 will have basements and ten will be without. Some houses are hoped to be completed before winter.

D. J. Hutchings Named To Davis Management

Newmarket — With a background of 36 years spent in the leather business, and as an executive in a wholesale organization, Douglas J. Hutchings has assumed the position of general manager and secretary-treasurer of the Davis Leather Co. Ltd. He succeeds R. Burns Lind.

Mr. Hutchings has been continuously employed by the Great West Saddlery Company since he first entered the business in 1912 as a workman in the warehouse. When he left that firm for Davis Leather, he held the position of vice-president and general manager.

Mr. Hutchings was born in Calgary. During his business career he has been active in service clubs, and has served on the executive of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, as well as being associated with other business organizations.

Mr. Hutchings is married and has one son out west. In his travels for the Great West Saddlery Co., he has spent much time in small towns and is looking forward to establishing his home in Newmarket. His major problem is to find housing.

Recreation Council To Run Aurora Rink

Aurora—The recreation council, with a tender of \$800, was awarded the right to operate the Aurora arena for the winter season of 1948-49 by Aurora town council on Monday night. The motion to award the tender to the recreation commission was sponsored by Councillors Thomas Swindle and Harold Pringle, and on request of Councillor Swindle a recorded vote was taken with only Reeve H. R. Corner voting "nay," and Councillor J. E. Sisman absent. Two tenders were received and council was warm in its praise of last year's operation of the arena by Robert Case who made the other tender.

"This means whatever profits are made will go to the commission which you have asked to look after recreation in Aurora. We hope to be able to work for the whole community interest without any profit motive. It would be a slap in the face to the commission to turn down their application," said Councillor Swindle who is a member of the commission. He reported the commission had a good man in mind to operate the arena.

Councillor Charles Davies pointed out that council, while approving the formation of the recreation commission, had provided them with very little funds and this might help them in their work.

A letter from the Aurora Flyers hockey club under the signature of secretary-treasurer Eric Smith was read in favor of Mr. Case's application.

Yonge St. Residents Ask For Sewers

Aurora — Council received a request signed by all but one of the interested taxpayers to install sewers as a local improvement project from ratepayers on both the east and west side of Yonge St. from Cousin's Dr. south to opposite the entrance to the Highlands golf club. Town Clerk Harold Clark advised council that engineering reports showed the plan was feasible. The town solicitor was instructed to prepare a by-law after checking the names of those signing the petition.

Ex-Mayor Ross Linton who submitted the highest tender for a piece of town property at the rear of George and Wellington Sts. was the successful bidder at \$110.

Council turned down the request of Gordon Hoffman of Tri-Sentinel Ltd. to manufacture his products at the rear of his newly purchased home at George and Lepper Sts. on the grounds that this was strictly a residential area. B. F. Davis and Ron were granted permission to extend their coal sheds on their Borezy St. property.

JOINS THE NAVY

Rev. G. A. Stone, former rector of St. Paul's, has again been appointed chaplain to the navy and is now stationed at the Fleet Air Arm at Dartmouth, N.S. At present Mrs. Stone and family are residing at 8 Reginald Terrace, Halifax, until September when they expect the housing situation in Dartmouth will have eased somewhat.

CONFERENCE DELEGATE

Newmarket—Norman J. Sedore is a delegate to the Free Methodist annual conference at Belhaven August 4 to 8.

Resident For 21 Years, Mrs. Williams Dies

Matilda Bertha Brooks, wife of the late George E. Williams, died in York county hospital Thursday, July 29, 1948, in her 85th year following a short illness. She was the daughter of the late Joshua and Ann Brooks, Brooklyn.

Forty-three years ago she married George E. Williams. After living in Brooklyn for a short time they moved to St. Boswells, Sask., where they farmed for 17 years. They came to Newmarket 21 years ago and lived most of the time on Pearson St. near the farm where Mr. Williams was born.

Fond of knitting, she did work for the Red Cross and the Red Shield during the last war. Surviving her are two nephews, George Brooks, Belleville, Claude Brooks, Port Credit, and two nieces, Mrs. Mazon Ende and Mrs. Wesley Longhurst, Newmarket.

The funeral services were held at the chapel of Roadhouse and Rose. Services were conducted by Lieut. and Mrs. R. Henderson and interment was in Newmarket cemetery. Pallbearers were Alex. McInnis, Wilfred Travis, Charles Willis, Wesley Gibney, William Blencowe and Alex. Rutledge.

W.I. HOLD PICNIC
Newmarket—The Women's Institute is holding its annual picnic on Thursday, Aug. 10, at 2:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Brown. All members wishing to attend please phone Mrs. E. Campbell. Everyone is expected to bring a lunch.

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MOUNT ALBERT

Rev. and Mrs. C. P. Shapter and Mamie are holidaying in the north country.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Storch and Mrs. H. Brown are spending a week at Canadian Inn, Lake Rosseau.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Draper, Toronto, were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Steeper.

Mrs. W. W. Shields, Toronto, spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Thompson.

Mrs. Gordon Wagg and Linda, Belleville, are spending a couple of weeks with Mrs. W. D. Stokes.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt Thompson, Toronto, spent the holiday with Miss Daisy Watts and Mr. and Mrs. Haigh.

The library board has had a lovely blanket donated by the T. Eaton Co. and a beautiful oil painting donated by Don Loach, Toronto. They are on display at Anglin's shop and on Monday evening, when the lucky tickets were drawn at the Legion Sports Day, Muriel Ross, Toronto, had the picture and Miss E. Leek, Mount Albert, was the owner of the blanket. In a nice speech by the president of the library, Mrs. Bruce Rolling, who thanked everyone who had helped make it such a success and explained the net proceeds were \$131, which will be used for new books.

The W.A. of the United church recently held a picnic at the cottage of Mrs. Howard Morton at Lake Simcoe. There were 35 ladies present who were grateful to their hostess for a lovely afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Lyons and family of Scarborough Bluffs, Mr. Stan Draper, Toronto, were holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Draper.

The Toronto East Rural Presbytery Y.P.U. will hold a church service in Mount Albert United church on Sunday evening, Aug. 15, at 8 o'clock. The speaker will be Mr. Bill Hiltz, Unionville, and there will be special music. You are cordially invited to attend this service.

Mr. Chas. Milsted, Queensville, will occupy the pulpit of the United church again next Sunday in the absence of the minister, Rev. C. P. Shapter, who is on holidays.

Mr. W. Hart, Thornton, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. V. Mitchell, Newmarket, and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Palmatier, Pickering, were guests last week at the home of Mrs. S. Cain.

Mr. and Mrs. McCormack and family of Toronto were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Robertson and children of Fort Erie spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Robertson.

The Canadian Legion Sports Day was a grand success in every way. There was a good crowd, especially in the evening. Large crowds cheered the ball games which ended in Newmarket winning the Geo. Allison Trophy for the year, Mount Albert coming second. The children enjoyed the pony rides. Betty Rolling won the decorated doll carriage prize of \$3. The bingo was well patronized as were the other games, all of them in the charge of the veterans. The ladies as usual were in charge of the refreshment booths and served a grand supper in the hall. The evening was given over to an excellent program by the Johnson Concert Co. and dancing to Norm Burling's orchestra. Newmarket Citizens' Band was in attendance throughout the afternoon and was thoroughly enjoyed. The evening closed with a lucky draw for many prizes.

The Horticultural Society has donated a book to the library, 1,000 Questions on Gardening by 15 Experts. This book is now on the shelves and the Society hopes this will be a benefit to many interested in flowers and gardening.

Mr. Bert Lee and Gerald, Leaside, were holidaying last week with Mr. and Mrs. Arnot Harrison.

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PLEASANTVILLE

On Tuesday of last week on the Kay farm a successful barn was raised in replacement of the one which was destroyed by fire last September.

From August 6 to August 15 a camp meeting will be held on Milt Sheridan's farm. Special speakers are Rev. Glenn Petty, John, London, Ont., and each evening at 8 p.m. Rev. M. G. McLuhan, singer, preacher and radio artist, from Moose Jaw, Sask. He is also principal of the Church of God, International Bible College of Saskatchewan. Rev. McLuhan's wife is formerly a Miss Reesor, Markham.

Mrs. McNicol, Bogartown, had an Institute quilt completed last Friday evening when Mesdames Colville, Starr, Hunt and McLuhan, also Mrs. Price and Mrs. Flintoff were present for the evening.

Mr. Albert Hughson, Toronto, spent the long holiday weekend at the Toole home.

Miss Evelyn Evans, who at present is convalescing at home after an operation, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Colville.

Mr. Don Chadwick, Toronto, was a holiday guest at the home of Mr. George Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Jewitt, Kettleby, and Miss Laura Lea, Newdale, Man., spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. G. McClure and Murray, also attending in the afternoon the decoration service in the Thomas Foster Memorial Temple near Uxbridge.

Mr. and Mrs. David Lehman, Peterboro, were weekend guests at the home of their cousin and uncle, Mrs. G. McClure and Mr. S. Madril.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Toole, Erla, Stuart and Elaine Toole and Albert Hughson visited the Foster Memorial Temple at Uxbridge on Sunday and had tea with Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Leask, Leaskdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Gardiner and two children of Toronto spent the long holiday weekend with Mr. Gardiner's sister, Mrs. Wm. Glover, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Sheridan and Mary had Sunday night tea with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Preston and family.

Commencing on Sunday, August 8, and during the month of August the Pine Orchard Union church services will be at 11 a.m. and Sunday-school at 10 a.m.

WILLOW BEACH

Mrs. Kay McNeill spent Civic holiday with her sister, Mrs. H. Matt.

Joan Chapman, who has been visiting at her grandmother's home in Woodville, is home again.

On Wednesday evening a shower was held at the home of Miss Ruth Brooks, Sutton, in honor of Miss Phyllis Sedore whose marriage takes place August 7. Miss Sedore received numerous beautiful shower gifts, also wedding presents. The six girls who formed a club calling themselves the solid six of which Phyllis was a member presented her with a beautiful dinner set. After the gifts had all been opened a delightful lunch was served.

The Women's Institute will hold its August meeting at the town hall on Thursday, Aug. 12. Roll-call: "Someone I would like to meet and why". All ladies are welcome. A social half-hour will follow.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Price spent several days at Wasaga Beach this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Herb Wagg, Markham, have been holidaying at Wasaga Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sisler, Toronto, were weekend guests of the Misses Eva and Theodora Harrison.

QUEENSVILLE

The executive for August 14 Sports Day asks that as many men as possible give their services every night next week to get the park ready for the big event.

Miss Nancy Kavanagh has been spending some holidays in Toronto.

Mrs. A. Clayton, Chesterville, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Jacob Smith, for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Haines and family and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnston and family have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Johnston recently.

Glad to report that Mrs. Titus Peregrine is out of the hospital and feeling much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kavanagh spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Ted Donnell, and family at Keswick.

Mr. and Mrs. Carman Main-prize and son, Jimmy, also Mrs. Thornton Prosser, Toronto, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Angus Smith.

Messrs. Harold and Bruce Greig, sons of Mr. Gordon Greig, Willowdale, visited a few days with their grandmother, Mrs. Wm. Greig, last week.

Mr. Chas. Milsted was the minister in Mount Albert and Hartman United churches last Sunday.

Mrs. Thatcher has been away on a motor trip with her son.

Master Johnny Lewis has returned home from a week's vacation at the home of his aunt, Mrs. William Davidson, at Feversham. Mrs. William Lewis, who accompanied him, attended the funeral of her brother-in-law, Mr. Davidson, while there visiting.

Mrs. Ed Hill, Toronto, spent last week visiting her sisters, Mrs. Fred Glover and Mrs. Wm. Arnold.

Mr. W. E. Link spent the holiday weekend with relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stickwood spent the holiday weekend at their home.

On Sunday all their family were with them, making a party of 20.

Tommy Stickwood has been in the hospital with an infected arm. We wish him a speedy recovery.

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Ronald Bennett on Wednesday, July 28. Mr. Ghent of the Co-operative, Newmarket, gave an interesting talk on "Insurance". Mrs. Sydney Thompson gave a splendid paper on "Home Economics". Miss Donna Batt gave an instrumental on the piano. Mrs. John Grant and Mrs. M. Batt were on the program committee and Mrs. Clarence Wright, Mrs. R. Johnston and Mrs. Sydney Thompson were on the refreshment committee. Plans were made for the big Sports Day on August 14. The next meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. Harry Morton in August.

SNOWBALL.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ridley spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Clinton Pickle, Wellington. Mrs. C. Gilchrist and Mrs. J. C. Mallory spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. F. Hollingshead. Mr. Sherman Storey, Toronto, called on relatives and friends this week.

Mrs. Harding is spending a few days with friends and relatives in Toronto.

Congratulations to Mrs. Stewart Hunt on winning the radio at the Lions carnival July 28.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Evans spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Davidson and Sheila. Little Carol Hunt, Toronto, is spending her holidays with Mrs. C. Hunt.

Church and Sunday-school will be held as usual this Sunday but there will not be another service until August 29.

Miss C. Burnfield, Jackson's Point, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gould.

POTTAGEVILLE

The United church held their annual Sunday-school picnic on July 31. A large crowd turned out for this popular event. During the afternoon races and a contest were held and after a splendid supper, a good program was enjoyed by all. Solos were sung by Miss Betty Burt-Gerrans, Miss Beatrice Proctor, Jack Proctor and Bruce Elder. Following this, some very interesting moving pictures were shown by courtesy of the C.P.I.T. The prize for the oldest man on the grounds was won by Mr. J. Harrison, and the oldest lady by Mrs. Funnell. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Elder won the prize for being the youngest on the grounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sproutle and three daughters spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Maughan.

Mr. Thomas Blackburn is leaving on Wednesday, August 4, for Ottawa to be a delegate to the Liberal convention. He was a delegate in 1919 when prime minister Mackenzie King was chosen.

Weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Blackburn included Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Blackburn, New Toronto, Miss Gertrude Blackburn and friend of Toronto and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ellery, Weston.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Legge and Mrs. L. Jarvis, Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Jarvis on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken West, Hamilton, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. West and are leaving for two weeks' vacation in the north country.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Frizzell and Mr. and Mrs. A. Walker and family, Toronto, have returned home after spending their vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shanks.

Mrs. Roy Emmett and son, Don, and a friend spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. A. Funnell.

Miss Jean Irish and Miss Hilda West spent a few days in Toronto last week.

MOUNT PISGAH

The W.A. will hold their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. George Leary on Wednesday, Aug. 11.

There was a good turnout for the July meeting of the W.I. at the home of Mrs. Jack Gamble. A few members, who have moved from the district, were present once again. Mrs. Walter Smith and Mrs. Nelson Boynton, Victoria Square, were welcome guests. Plans were made for a home-made baking sale to be held on Saturday, Aug. 14, at Wilcox Lake in the cottage of Mrs. Earl Browning.

There will be a quilting at the home of Mrs. R. C. Boycroft on Thursday, Aug. 19.

A reminder that all Blue Cross fees must be paid by the end of this week to Mrs. R. C. Boycroft.

Mrs. Norman Brown, Dorothy and Donald attended the Todd-Glenn wedding at Agincourt Presbyterian church last Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Biggerstaffe, Chicago, called on Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bolham on Thursday of last week.

We would like to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sproton on the birth of their son, Howard Neil, July 28, at York County hospital.

Miss Dorothy Boycroft is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rotham.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Millen and Joan Barrett spent the weekend at Kitchener.

On Monday evening of this week a birthday supper was held for Mrs. Robt. Millen by her daughter, Mrs. George Barrett, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Millen and family and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Millen, Richmond Hill, were guests.

Mrs. Allan Pope spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gillis in Toronto last week.

We are sorry to report that Mr. Ted Barlowe spent a few days in the hospital again last week.

A wish for a speedy recovery to all the sick folks in the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gillis, Toronto, had Sunday supper in the Brown home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rodfish, Elora, had dinner on Thursday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Boycroft.

Mr. Fred Torrey, Mr. Stuart Duncan and Mr. Jim Duncan motored to Perth and district last weekend.

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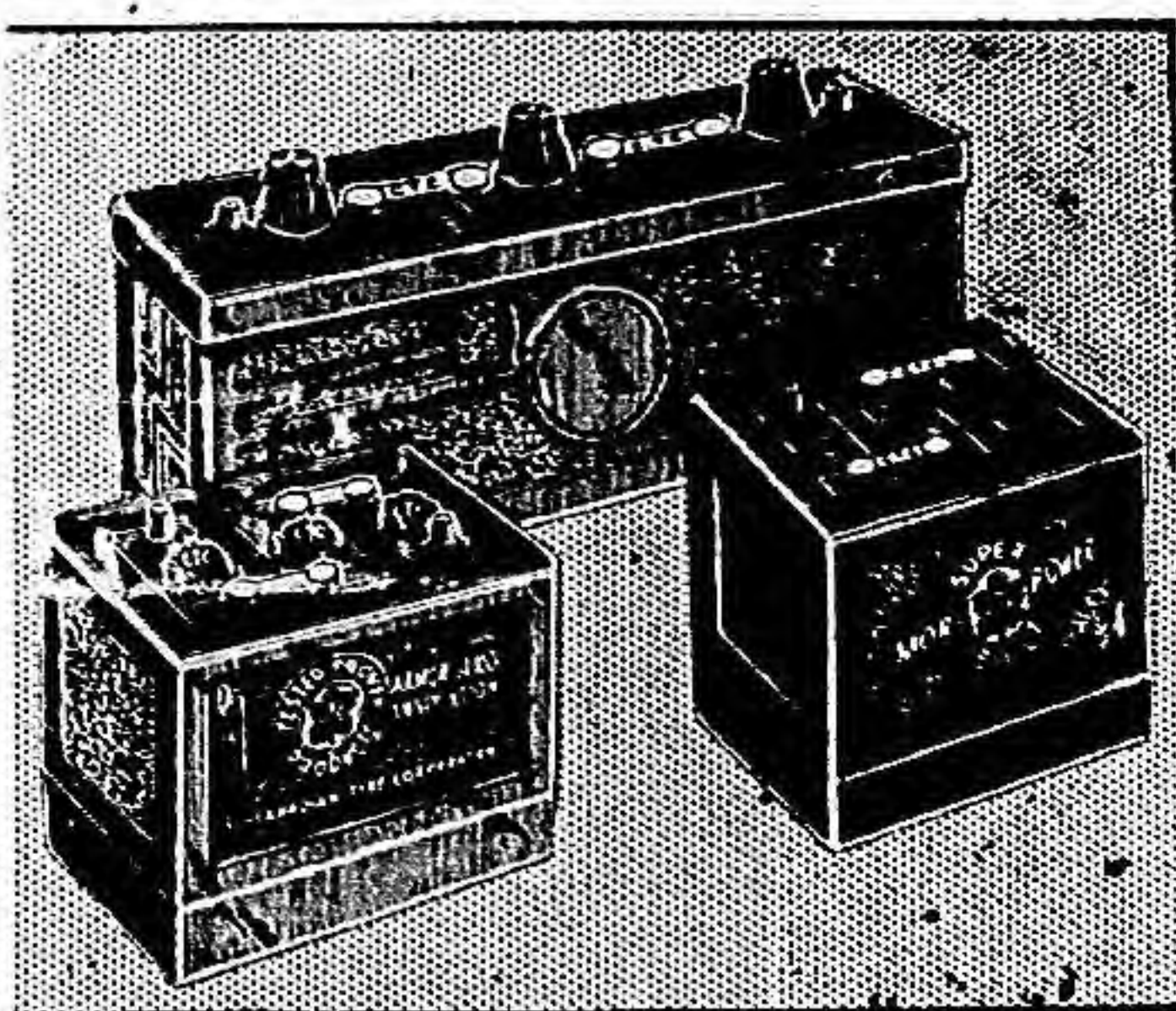
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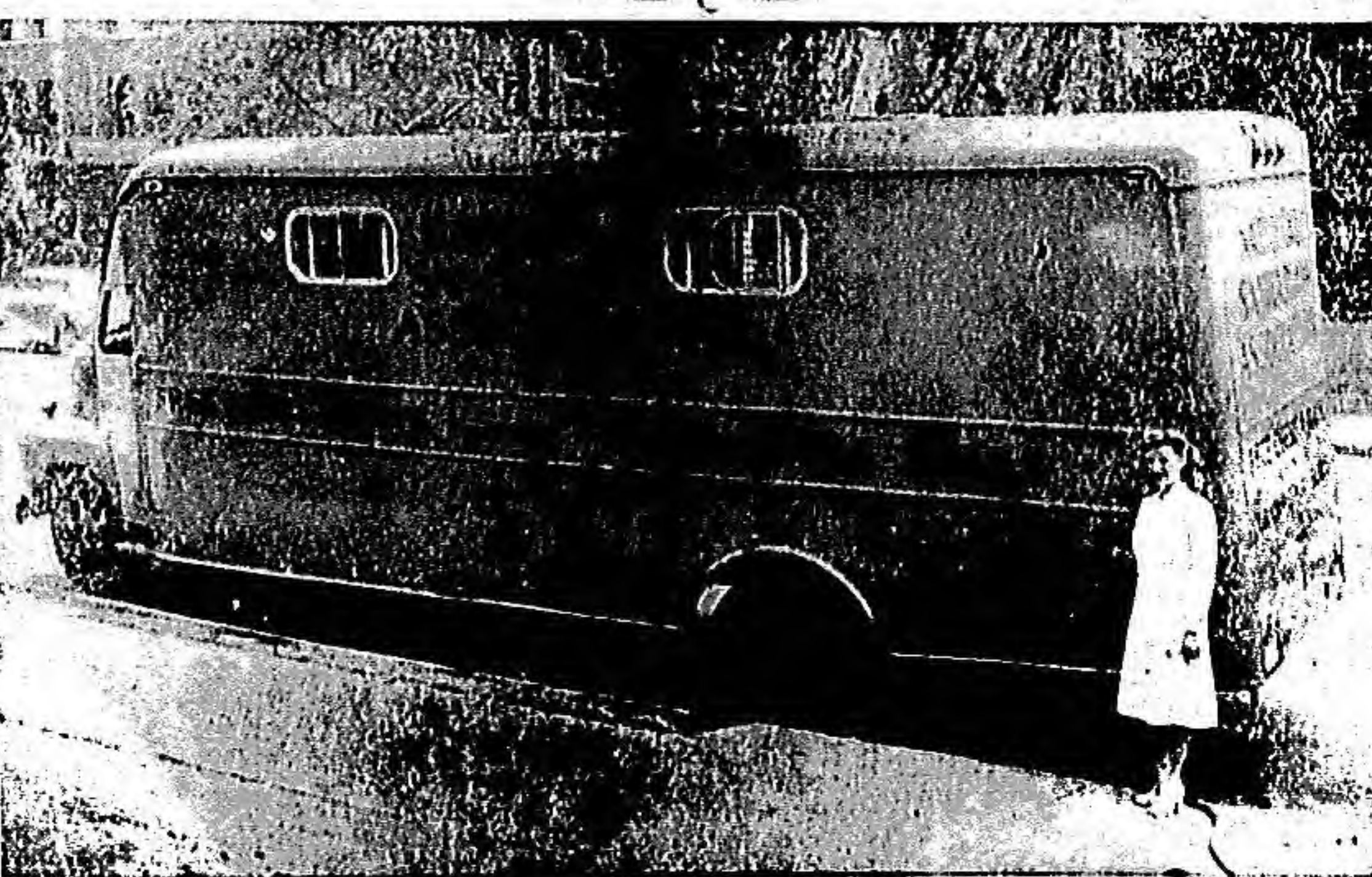
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How Mail Thieves Dodged In 1835

In 1835 the deputy postmaster general at Quebec was somewhat concerned over the increasing number of thefts from the mails. "He felt it his duty" therefore, to advise businessmen using the mails to send money to tear their remittances in half and hold back one-half until receipt of the other half had been acknowledged. This advice was published in an advertisement in the July 23 issue of The Patriot, a Toronto newspaper, of that year.

We received the newspaper through the courtesy of Mr. E. R. Cameron of the Dominion Bank. It has four pages and in keeping with the style of the Old Country papers, the first page is devoted entirely to advertisements. The second page carries a report of the Welland Canal company for the preceding year in which is recorded that 570 schooners, 334 boats and scows, and 66 rafts, for a total tonnage of 37,927, passed through the canal.

Origin of Lake Custom

The report contains what may have been the origin of the custom of presenting the first skipper to bring his ship into port with a silk hat and umbrella. In the report, the board announces that "to encourage emulation for an early transit a premium of \$100 is offered to the captain of the first vessel over 50 tons burden which may arrive at Port Dalhousie laden with merchandise from New York destined for any port on the upper lake."

Sharing the second page with the canal company is a report of the legislature sitting which reflects the exciting days that preceded the Rebellion of 1837, and to a degree, reflects some of the

causes. For example, there are petitions asking that the recent elections in two ridings be declared void because in one instance, supporters of the losing candidates were prevented from casting their votes, and in the other, the polls were declared closed despite the number of voters waiting without to mark their ballots.

Thomas Dalton, editor of The Patriot at that time, must have been a Tory for in an editorial, he denounces the Cobourg Reformer with these words: "It is passing strange that, in these exciting times, the Cobourg Reformer should be so lacking of matter for his journal as to be compelled to fabricate sheer falsehoods for the entertainment of his readers. In his last number, he gravely asserts that Mr. Thomas Phillips of Montreal had passed through Cobourg for Toronto as the bearer of a petition to His Excellency for troops to quell the Lower Canadians. Such malicious assertions betray a baseness of soul characteristic of the pretended 'Reformers' and 'Liberals' of the day, and stamp with infamy the Journals which promulgate them."

Advertisements Different

The advertisements were vastly different in tone in those

days. Nowadays, the fashion is to literally bludgeon the customer into submission. The merchants of 1835, prefaced their advertisements with "We respectfully inform our customers that we have . . .", a practice that might be worth returning to. In 1835, the government had not yet fully appreciated the extent of the revenue it might derive from liquor sales, and so many of the advertisements are concerned with the sale of whiskey, gin and rum as well as wine by the hoghead.

Toronto was a thriving market place at that time but then, as now, business was somewhat hampered by exchange problems. Both the dollar and the pound were common mediums of exchange. The editor shows no partiality, his advertisements using both exchanges. There is evident too, a brisk competition among those offering accommodation. One innkeeper, J. H. Hutchinson, proprietor of the Russell Abbey Hotel, advertises his lodgings as follows:

"(J. H. Hutchinson) returns thanks to his friends and the public for the liberal patronage he has already received and in soliciting a continuance of their favors, he begs to state that he has enlarged his establishment so as to render his dormitories more convenient and comfortable to those who may please to honor him with their favors."

"J. H. H. thinks that it is needless to make any comment on the quality of his Wines and Liquors, or of his catering, as he believes they have given general satisfaction to some of the most respectable families in this province."

The Office Cat Reports

Kinsey Report No Help To Ginger

Boss, it looks like a crisis. I am reading the Kinsey Report but it is not helping me. Better I should write to Dorothy Dix instead because I am a cat with problems. In short, boss, the honeymoon is over. Married life, I am finding, is not all fish heads and catnips like the poets say. Mind you, I am not knocking married life. Marriage is a fine institution as you have often heard me say. But there are difficulties, boss, there are difficulties.

But first, I guess you want a report of where we went and what we did on our honeymoon and I'll be glad to oblige, but boss, you must realize that there is something personal about a honeymoon which you ought to respect in your pursuit of news. See what I mean, boss? There's nothing really to report except about Wilbur.

Wilbur Has Gone

You remember Wilbur the Sea Serpent, boss, the one I interviewed in Georgian Bay and thereby scooped the dullest Well. Wilbur has gone back to his uncle at Loch Ness, a disillusioned sea serpent if ever there was one. Wilbur was terribly hurt by the treatment he received on this side of the ocean so has gone back to Scotland where the public understands sea serpents.

As you may recall, boss, Wilbur was a sensitive sort of sea serpent and when he read that some fellow said he wasn't a sea serpent at all, but a mother duck with a lot of little ducks follow-

ing behind which looked like a sea serpent—well boss, you can understand the effect on a sensitive sea serpent like Wilbur.

Wilbur was going to write a letter of denial to the editor but he felt that any statement he might make to the press was likely to be biased in his favor. Anyway, he thought that a letter might only provoke anew the flames of controversy, and photographers would want him to pose with mermaids on his knees. Wilbur is allergic to the opposite sex, so he decided to let the issue drop. I guess that is the last we'll see of Wilbur, boss.

Period Of Adjustment

But to get back to my own problems, boss. The books say that Isabella and I are passing through a period of adjustment but the books don't say what to do when Isabella does her adjusting with a flat iron. I started the night we arrived home from our honeymoon. I said to Isabella, in an affectionate sort of way, "Well kid, playtime's over. It's back to the salt mines with you." With that I pushed her towards the kitchen

while I went for the evening paper. I am no sooner settled when—wham—the flat-iron hits me.

We have beans for supper. I hate beans, boss.

The next evening, I am settling down for a quiet smoke by the fire when the boys call up and want a game of pool. A man has his social obligations so I tell Isabella that it is lodge night and off we go. Well boss, one thing leads to another and its three in the a.m. when I lift the latch. This time it is the poker she hits me with.

Now, boss, I don't mind a friendly scuffle or two but my head is beginning to ache and I don't think that Isabella should do these things. I try to explain to her that I have certain social obligations, that the woman's place is in the kitchen and no questions asked. But I don't get very far because Isabella has been reading one of these magazines that women believe in and they are all the time talking about women's suffrage and equality of the sexes.

When logic makes no impression, I become masterful. I bat her one in the chops, with the best of intentions, of course. When I come to, I find Isabella has used both the poker and the flat iron at one time.

Well boss, this can't keep up. I don't know what has gotten into her, but it is getting so that I am afraid to go home. What do you suggest, boss?

Around the North End of the County

Wasted Forests Make Ghost Towns

Failure to recognize the importance of conservation 100 years ago has resulted in once thriving communities becoming nothing but memories and points on historical maps. Lloydtown is an example. Less than 100 years ago a grist mill was operated by the Holland River. People knew little of conservation and forests were indiscriminately cut down. Today as a result of this neglect the Holland River is little more than a stream in that village. The grist mill has been silent for many decades and the dam cut down, and Lloydtown is no longer the most bustling community in northwest York county.

On August 2, Richmond Hill celebrated its 75th anniversary of incorporation. It was formerly called Mount Pleasant and gained its present name when

the Duke of Richmond made a brief visit in 1819. From a population of 784 the village has expanded to 1,700. Shortly after its incorporation a by-law was passed making it unlawful for any person to bath or swim between the hours of 6 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Mrs. James Camplin, Unionville, celebrated her 95th birthday recently. She has resided in Unionville for over 40 years.

Last Tuesday at Vancor there was a barn-raising bee on the farm of Ivan Kay. Two hundred men helped raise a 100' long structure before nightfall. Last fall Mr. Kay's barn burned to the ground with all his harvest crop.

Honey is to be a fairly good crop and of superior quality according to Mr. Dan Ramer, Markham, who has kept bees for more than 60 years. Mr. Ramer has almost 150 swarms of bees and sells most of his honey in the small comb section.

At the annual Fretz reunion held in Hamilton recently Mr. Sam Fretz, Steffville, was chosen president for the next year. Mr. and Mrs. Elum Snyder and family from South America were among those present. The Fretz residence in Steffville has housed three generations of doctors. Built by the late Dr. S. Fretz about 65 years ago it is to be demolished to make way for a modern one and a half storey building. There are to be nine foot ceilings in this new building instead of the 16 foot ones that are in the original house.



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Editorials

The state is the servant, not the master, of the people; the state is their guarantee against infringement on their rights, their agent in international and national issues; it is not the function of the state to assume the direction of those activities which rest on individual choice.

Liberalism Must Be Re-asserted

The Liberal convention was precipitated by the need to choose a successor to Mr. King. This duty, for all of its importance, must not be allowed to obscure a second duty, that of redefining Liberal principles for the future. To fulfil this second duty calls for a frank appraisal of the past. On such an evaluation only can a firm foundation for the future be laid.

The Liberal party is primarily concerned with five issues: foreign policy, the nature of its internal policy, liberties of the people, conduct of its trade, and the administration of the public purse. On the latter, the party's record is exceptional, and the foreign policy of the party is largely rid of the isolationism which clouded it between wars.

On the conduct of trade, however, there has developed a conflict within the party ranks between those who adhere to the traditional Liberal formula of maximum trade and minimum protection and those who would make permanent the temporary protectionist measures, imposed by the dollar shortage. If the party is to adhere to its traditional policy, its stand on trade must be emphasized.

Within the field of human rights, with two major exceptions, the party has defended the principle of maximum freedom of individuals against the assaults of other parties. The two exceptions are the wartime treatment of the Japanese, and the conduct of the spy trials. But mere defence of human rights is not enough. The establishment of human liberties is not accomplished only by defence of existing liberties but by exploration and consolidation beyond those already established. To rest on a defence of what does exist is to stand still, to repudiate the meaning of reform.

But it is in its domestic policies, the economic counterpart of the above, that the Liberal party must re-assert with the greatest possible emphasis, its stand in the future. Liberalism is assailed on two sides; by the disciples of state control on the left, those of conservatism on the far right. The one would make the state the arbiter of all economic activity. The other would make the state subject to the economic activity of vested interests.

Liberalism calls for the greatest possible freedom of economic activity, but at the same time, the acceptance of federal regulation where there is lacking the normal checks of competition. Partly because of the conditions brought about by the war, partly because of a growing influence of the philosophy of paternalism within the party, Liberalism has strayed far from its basic principles. It must re-assert those principles, even at the risk of losing support from the left-wing factions.

Liberalism must not, can not, compromise with either right or left for the sake of temporary advantage. To do so is to lose its identity and forfeit its trust.

Pre-Convention Footnote

Gallup pollsters have been sampling United States opinion on political "razzle-dazzle". The conclusions they draw are applicable to the Canadian scene, human nature being pretty much the same the world over. The Gallup findings have particular interest on the eve of the Liberal convention.

On party platforms: the Gallup poll findings are, in the words of Mr. George Gallup, "an outrageously bad platform might lose some votes and a phenomenally good one might win some". Generally speaking, however, the effect of platforms is not much.

On speeches and their effect on votes: In 13 years of polling, little evidence has been found that one speech or even a series of speeches changes many votes.

On the value of prominent men, for example, a labor leader: They do not have nearly the effect on votes that is expected of them.

Appeal to women: A wasted effort. They vote with their husbands.

It's not front a party puts up that convinces the voters, but the degree that the party has given the country good government.

No Penalty Too Harsh

Few would attempt to dissuade the driver who wants to pass on a hill if there was some guarantee that oncoming innocents would not suffer. Anyone who practices that sort of driving would not be greatly missed. In fact, such a driver would be better under the sod for the sake of his fellowmen. If he is foolish enough to pass on hills he is foolish enough to commit an infinite variety of breaches of common sense — all with their disadvantages to others.

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The History of Bogartown

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By ELMER STARR

The editor is indebted to Elmer Starr for his "History of the Hamlet of Bogartown" which Mr. Starr completed after considerable research. The "History", too lengthy to be printed in one issue, is printed as a weekly series. This is the third of the series.

A survey of those who served on the school board of S.S. No. 3, Whitehurch, reveals some very interesting information. Since organization up to the present (92 years) 44 men and two women did duty as trustees. Following the three originally named, Wm. Wallis, Philip Bogart and Arnold Haight, we find the names of John Randal, Jeremiah Hill, John Wilson, Joseph Bogart, Francis Starr, Nelson Stephens, Chas. Widdifield, J. S. Wilkin, Joshua Wilson Jr., John McMillan, J. Jonathon Collins, Elias Bogart, Chas. Wilson, Lyman Bogart, George Knowles, Albert Bogart, Redmond Simpson, J. E. Widdifield, M. F. Starr, James Hill, Fred Brillinger, G. W. Williams, C. A. Toole, Henry Ostley, D. W. Evans, Elmer Starr, Mrs. Helena Stiekwood, Matthew Duncan, Frank Drury, Wesley Lundy, James Wallace, Edgar Hamer, L. J. Harper, Mrs. Annie Ewart, E. L. Cody, J. Stiekwood, Geo. Hunt, Chas. Hunt, George Drury, Carl Vernon, Douglas McClure, Frank Williams and Dick Whittaker.

A further study reveals the interesting fact that there are two or more generations of the following family names given in this list: Bogart, Hill, Widdifield, Williams and Starr; also that George and Frank Drury, Philip and Joseph Bogart are the only cases where brothers served, and Joshua and Helena Stiekwood the only case of husband and wife holding office as trustee. Francis Starr holds the record for length of service, being 21 years. His son Mordcai F. Starr comes next with 13 years to his credit. J. E. Widdifield would likely have served as long but leaving the section to assume the duties of postmaster in Newmarket before his term was complete, served only 17 years, and Jos. Stiekwood rounded out five terms making 15 years.

These all served honorably and well and we "who are now" do appreciate the effort put forth and sacrifice made to lay a firm foundation and build a strong superstructure for the education of the youth of the section, but there were menial tasks also such as caring for the school house, supplying fuel and repairing fences and buildings, planting of trees; and we would be remiss indeed if we failed to take note of some of these. Such

25 And 50 Years Ago

15,000 Attend Herb Lennox Picnic

The Herb Lennox picnic at Island Grove was a great success with 15,000 people in attendance, according to the files of 25 years ago. There were lacrosse and baseball games and boxing exhibitions, races and games for the children. The baby show was a popular feature. During the day there were short speeches and at night dancing to the music of six bands.

The editor expresses regret that Newmarket has not erected a public monument in recognition of those who gave their lives in the World War. He hopes that the town fathers will make provision for a money by-law to be voted at the next election for a new fire hall and municipal building and thus prepare the way for a Soldiers' Monument on the corner of Main St. and Millard Ave., the most suitable site for it.

An interesting tri-county league game was played here Wednesday afternoon between Sutton and Newmarket, which resulted in a win for Newmarket after an extra innings, the score being 5-4.

During the thunderstorm on Saturday afternoon the barn on the farm rented by Roy Haines was struck by lightning and destroyed by fire. There was the season's crop of hay in the barn and 40 tons of fall wheat. The loss is estimated at over \$5,000.

W. J. Robertson, Toronto, a cottager at Orchard Beach, caught the largest "lunge" that has been caught in Lake Simcoe for 30 years. It weighed 34 lbs. and was four and one-third feet long and 22" around. It took 15 minutes to land the fish.

From The Era and Express files, August 5, 1895. Last Friday evening the town band serenaded the north end and the music was thoroughly enjoyed. At the close of the concert the members were treated to cigars donated by Messrs. F. Stewart and J. Shupe. Alderman Manning invited them to his house for lemonade and cake.

Jas. Moffatt has disposed of his newspaper business to Mr. Starr and will close shop next Saturday night. He intends to devote his time to typewriting and reporting.

Last week Col. Lloyd went to attend a sick cow at the McCormick residence, Eagle St., when he was attacked by the large Newfoundland dog. Al-

Items in the financial statements as "Paid Mrs. Lawson for cleaning school house \$1.00" and "Paid Russell Haight for services as caretaker for term just ended \$5.00" followed by \$12.00 at end of year. Mrs. Lawson continued to clean the school house until 1901 at which time she was paid \$1.50 for cleaning bones and seats in mid-winter and \$1 for cleaning all woodwork in mid-summer. Mrs. Rogers then took over the house-cleaning and Angus Collingwood the caretaking at \$1.00 per week over adjoining prices. These in turn were followed by Mrs. McMillan and Mrs. Silversides or clean the house and Joe Drury and Gordon McClure as caretakers. The following minutes from a meeting of the school board held September 13, 1907, shows the gradual trend to centralization: "By order of the school board Mrs. Silversides and her son, Gordon, have been engaged as caretakers for the balance of the school year, viz from this date to the third Monday in August, 1908." From that time the caretaking and housecleaning were combined, and were faithfully looked after in turn by George Drury, John McClure, Mrs. Elsie McClure, Mrs. E. S. Haight, Reg Wilson, and Vera Lundy, Geo. Simmons, Mrs. Elsie McClure, Smith Brock and Joyce VanLunen.

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Every summer the old perennials about Sea Serpents come along. There's a good crop already, and it's only July, so we may still get a lot more. On July 20, one was reported from Vancouver, and on July 23 one was sighted near Flowerpot Island in the Georgian Bay from aboard a boat, called the City of Detroit, on its way to Midland. The sea monster was heading out of the Georgian Bay toward Lake Huron, so we may hear of it again in another location. The one seen in the Pacific Ocean, along the west coast of Vancouver Island, either a sea serpent or a super-fish, was described as being like a long snake, covered with hair and with a face like an ape. It is also reported as having corrugated fins on its back.

Several years ago, in a similar sea-serpent scare, they told of one they called Cadborosaurus in Clearwater River, about 78 miles from Edmonton. It is familiarly called "Caddy" or "Ogopogo." At that time a farmer claims to have seen it rear its great ugly head adorned with huge horns, red eyes and capacious mouth and gulp down one of his pet calves, which are feeding on the bank of the Clearwater River. He threw stones at it and it disappeared into the water. He claimed there was ten to fifteen feet of it out of the water at that time.

Others who say they have seen it described it as having a head like a wolf with white whiskers, a single eye in his 30 foot tail and that it had a habit of snorting like a mad bull. So you never know.

The one sighted near Flower Pot Island in the Georgian Bay was described as a sea serpent that looked like a crocodile only bigger. It had horns on its head and a tail 60 to 100 feet long. It was blue-green in color with a big head and horns and big bumps all over its body.

Not a Serpent But Ducks
The captain didn't say that the people on board hadn't seen something but he said he had sailed the lakes for years and had never seen a sea serpent or a sea monster. Major O. B. Smith, Midland, said also he had never seen a sea serpent and he thought it was quite likely what the people on board the Detroit saw was a mother sawbill duck and her brood of ducklings trailing along behind. He says the mother is large and swims ahead and could look like the head of a sea serpent and the little ones trailing along behind could form the tail. He said he'd seen as many as 40 little ducks trailing along, treading water since they can't swim.

When you see them early in the morning or at twilight, you could easily mistake them for a sea serpent. They make a big splash and they go along in a long line that looks like a tail. He adds that it could have been a fox water snake, they are spotted and are 15 or 20 feet long sometimes. They swim with their heads out of the water and a big one could have a head the size of a tea cup. He says, too, that an otter could look like a snake. It also swims with its head out of the water and goes fast and when the sleek, black, furry head is wet it shines like wet snake skin.

In 1938 a sea monster was seen in Lake Ontario, near Pickering, by a Toronto woman who said it was about as thick as a car tire, 18 foot long and had a pointed tail. Of course the most famous one was seen in Loch Ness, Scotland, and another in the Okanagan Lake, B.C. Some report them having two horns, yellow or blue scales or red spots, a pointed or a forked tail, always wicked eyes. No doubt people do see something. Newspaper files are full of stories about sea monsters.

"Caddy" On a Calm Sea
Going back to the one sighted along Canada's Pacific coast again, a couple fishing in Cowichan Bay claim to have seen Caddy. They said the sea was like glass when suddenly it appeared. Three of its coils were visible and he had his head up. He was a brown leathery color. Now that Caddy and ogopogo are back—Caddy on the coast and Ogopogo of Okanagan Lake, then no doubt Sarah the Sealing

390 Bowling Score Leads To Radio Win

A first prize on an amateur radio contest in Buffalo was won by Bertha Sisler, Mount Albert, after she had won a gold medal, \$15 and an entry to the radio broadcast for outstanding bowling while she was spending the weekend in the border city with Mr. and Mrs. E. D. McNeil. Her score was 397 and she declares that she has never bowled over 300 before.

After winning the bowling prize she followed up by taking in the Sunday morning radio broadcast and with Mrs. McNeil, sang "You can't be true, dear," taking first prize on the show.

The manager of the alley where she bowled said that she was the first Canadian to win the honor and that it had been won only once before in the last two years.

Miss Sisler and some friends were in Buffalo to attend the welcome home party for Donald McNeil from the U.S. Marines on Saturday night and with Mary Ruthland she came home by air with Don McNeil and Jerry Mann of the U.S. air force who own the aircraft in which they flew.

Boys' Grain Club Does Excellent Work

A very quiet organization, the York County Boys' Grain Club, last week met in the Unionville Hall for another of their informative meetings. These boys lack the publicity generally given to calf clubs but do excellent work and are to be especially congratulated on the fact that although they are mostly in their teens they drive as many as 20 miles to attend one of these meetings last week, with president Bob Hamilton and secretary Glen Atkinson, both of Schomberg, the lecture portion of the evening was spent on the smuts of grains and many of these boys could vie with their parents on the knowledge they have of these crop diseases.

How to take soil samples was another of the subjects discussed. Just lately the assistant representative, Archie McKenzie, has been around scoring the boys standing crop of oats in the field and mentioned that on the average these crops were looking very well and that many of the boys had convinced their parents of the merits of their variety. The evening concluded with the judging of two classes of grain and reasons were taken and an official placing given by Ray Ingletton of Agincourt, a former outstanding club boy, and this year's club leader. On the evening's work Don Fieldhouse of Woodbridge was top judge with a perfect score on placings. A pleasant social period followed to the accompaniment of ice cream and soft drinks, compliments of the sponsoring organization, the York County Junior Farmers.

MOVING TO BELLEVILLE
Newmarket — Roy Sanderson has taken a position with Neilson Co. in Belleville and his wife and family plan to join him there shortly.

will show up. Sarah, if you recall, was giving performances off Vancouver beaches and was supposed to be some kind of a whale, according to Cuvier, an eminent French naturalist.

Natural Causes
So all our scares more or less turn out to be perfectly natural, unless indeed like the one at a popular resort which turned out to be a delightful hoax. I told of it once some time ago—how a chap with a well developed funny bone devised a very realistic sea serpent, a rubber creature which could be inflated and deflated at will. It used to appear in different parts of the lake and as suddenly disappear. Sure enough it had to disappear when he let the air out of it.

Do you remember me telling about the one on the east coast which terrified the fishermen, who deserted their nets and put for the shore post haste and the creature followed them. It had a huge head with wicked looking horns and a lashing tail—and it came steadily after them as they ran shouting up the beach, and all the inhabitants turned out to see what was the matter. Presently a big black cow with a long black tail came out of the water and up the beach. Do you recall that the late Andy Clark laughed about it on his Neighbourly News one Sunday morning — he said "Someone who calls herself Golden Glow had a story about a sea serpent," and he told that one. We still miss Andy, but Don Fairburn is carrying on his broadcast acceptably. I think I have again taxed the space Mr. Editor has allotted to me so I'll end up with just one more remark—couldn't we start some sea serpent stories here from those huge snapping turtles that crawled around below the dam when the pond was drained a few weeks ago. They were trying to get back into the pond and I expect they did. Horrible creatures!

H. B. Lockie Leads in Oats Competition

This year Scott Agricultural Society has conducted standing field crop competitions in oats and potatoes. L. H. Winslow, Millbrook, has examined the crops and reported the results of his judging on the oats as follows: H. B. Lockie, Zephyr, 89; Morley Bain, Zephyr, 87; Gerald Graham, Udonia, 86½; Howard Snowdon, Zephyr, 85; Thomas Sellers, Zephyr, 84½; Henry Meyers, Zephyr, 84; Lorne Bagshaw, Uxbridge, 83½; James Smith, Sandford, 83; Milburn Meek, Sandford, 82; James Best, Uxbridge, R. R. 1, 81½; J. E. Leek, Sandford, 78½; Gordon Rynard, Zephyr, 76½; Norman Gibson, Uxbridge, R. R. 2, 76.

One contestant had cut his oats so he was not scored. It will be observed that competition has been keen and scoring pretty close but not as high as has been some years. Anyone looking for good seed for next year will find any of the above named can supply it. The varieties were Ajax, Beaver and Beacon.

BROWN HILL

Mrs. Emeline Sedore spent August 1 with Mr. and Mrs. W. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Timms visited at Brown Hill over the holiday and took in the ball game at Queensville.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmot King had several guests over the holiday, some of whom were Mr. Herb Fredericksen and their son-in-law, Wilfred Sedore, also Mr. King's mother, Mrs. Frank Fountain, Newmarket.

Mr. Kenneth Williamson and son, John, were also home for the holidays.

Mrs. Millie Longhurst had guests last Sunday for a short while.

Mr. Bruce Longhurst has taken up residence at Holland Landing to be nearer his employment.

Mr. Stanley Wilson is busy fixing up his new home. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mitchell and Alex. York went up north to pick blueberries and report a good supply. They went up last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rose and Georgina have gone away on a short holiday.

There will be no church service or Sunday-school at Brown Hill next Sunday because of the conference which will be held at Belhaven to which everyone is welcome.

KESWICK

Miss Ann Chantler, Toronto, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Wm. Holborn.

Dr. and Mrs. F. S. Breen and daughter, Mary, London, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peel.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron King, Toronto, visited their parents here over the holiday weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferg Taylor and Elaine and Myron were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Pollock.

Mr. and Mrs. Redditt spent some time last week in Toronto and left on Monday for a week in Orillia.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Draper and daughter, Mary, London, Ont., visited friends here over Civic holiday weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. George Huntley and daughter of Toronto are occupying the Perry cottage for a couple of weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Perry and family returned to Toronto on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Osborn Smith, who celebrated their diamond wedding anniversary August 4, received a personal letter of congratulations and good wishes from Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Byron King enjoyed a trip to Balsam Lake on Monday.

Keswick Beach Association held their annual field day at Keswick Beach park on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Draper, London, are visiting Mr. Draper's brother, Mr. Walter Draper.

Miss F. McKenzie, Toronto, visited Mrs. Connell Marritt for a few days.

Mr. Johnston, Toronto, who is 90 years old, is visiting his nephew, Mr. Ben Johnston.

(Too late for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. Redditt, Grant and Ruth, also Bill McGenerly motored to Gravenhurst Sunday, coming home by Orillia.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kellington, and Mr. and Mrs. Art King took a motor trip on Sunday to the northern country. Mr. Kellington has prospects of a motor launch.

Mrs. Samson and family are holidaying with Mrs. H. Edwards.

Mrs. C. E. Crittenden has the Smith family holidaying at her home.

Mrs. Morley King and family are in Toronto for a few days.

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Sutton Horse Show Opens Today

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Many people who visited the show last year were disappointed because of the large crowds on the Saturday so are determined to visit Sutton for the Friday show this year. Tomorrow is the opening of the horse show proper although there is no livestock display until Saturday. In front of the grandstand, tomorrow, the hunter and jumper horses will perform. The horse show division is staging a "miniature fox-hunt" with mounted huntsmen in "pinks" and hounds following a trail laid from the big ring out over a series of fences and water jumps.

There will be 12 classes for jumpers on Friday and 12 more at the Saturday show when the hounds will follow the "fox-trail." Harness horse fans get their innings on Friday and Saturday afternoons. Saturday will bring displays and judging of livestock and the classes for light and heavy horses, beef and dairy cattle, sheep and swine.

should have better than usual exhibits this year as the show has offered increased prize money.

The grandstand show on Friday and Saturday evenings is to feature a variety style of concert. The Friday show features the "Rollerflyers," a magician, a ventriloquist act, and a dancer with Pat McIntosh as master of ceremonies.

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SEALED TENDERS will be received by the undersigned until 12 o'clock noon, D.S.T. Saturday, August 21st, 1948, for the construction of the Canadian Legion Hall, Aurora.

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TENDERS WANTED

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. J. E. Shuman, Secretary, Canadian Legion, Aurora.

HIT AND RUN

Newmarket—A hit and run driver caused an estimated \$45 damage to a parked car on Prospect Ave. at 4:30 a.m., Saturday, July 30, according to police. The damaged car, owned by Douglas Marshall, 1011 Prospect Ave., Two doors, the left front fender and hub cap were damaged. Constable James Leader investigated but was unable to locate the accused party.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hunt wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Audrey Frances, to Mr. John Tensdale, Newmarket, the wedding to take place on Saturday, Sept. 4, at 7:30 p.m. in Trinity United church, Newmarket.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stevens, Queensville, announce the engagement of their daughter, Jean, to Mr. Stewart Halsted, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Halsted, Willowdale. The wedding to take place quietly on Saturday, Sept. 4, at Trinity United church vestry, Toronto.

BIRTHS

Booth—At York County hospital, Monday, Aug. 2, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Booth, Holland Landing, a daughter.

Case—At York County hospital, Wednesday, Aug. 4, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. William Case, Aurora, a daughter.

Groves—At York County hospital, Wednesday, Aug. 4, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Groves, Newmarket, a son.

Greenwood—At York County hospital, Wednesday, Aug. 4, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Greenwood, R. 1, Queensville, a son.

Hairman—At York County hospital, Saturday, July 31, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. William Hairman, Newmarket, a daughter.

Holmes—At Toronto General hospital, on Monday, July 26, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Holmes (Helen Mosley of Newmarket) a son, and grandson of Mrs. Holmes and the late Sergeant Wm. Holmes of the Toronto police.

Houston—At York County hospital, Saturday, July 31, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Houston, Sharon, a daughter.

Kaplsak—At York County hospital, Saturday, July 31, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Steve Kaplsak, Bradford, a daughter.

Liscomb—At York County hospital, Thursday, July 29, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Liscomb, Jackson's Point, a son.

Mundy—At York County hospital, Saturday, July 31, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mundy, Newmarket, a daughter.

Rupke—At York County hospital, Monday, Aug. 2, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. John Rupke, R. 1, Kettleby, a son.

Sedore—At York County hospital, Saturday, July 31, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sedore, Jackson's Point, a son.

Vernon—At York County hospital, Saturday, July 31, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. George Vernon, R. 2, Aurora, a daughter.

DEATHS

Bain—At lot 26, con. 6, Scott twp., on Thursday, July 29, 1948, Scott M. Bain, husband of Maud Perrault, in his 63rd year.

The funeral service was held on Saturday afternoon, Interment Mount Albert cemetery.

Batchelor—At his home, Bradford, on Friday, July 30, 1948, Leonard Thomas, only son of Thomas Batchelor and the late Mrs. Joseph Banks (Jessie), and Rose.

The funeral service was held on Sunday afternoon, Interment Mount Pleasant cemetery.

Burling—At St. Joseph's hospital, Toronto, Wednesday, Aug. 4, 1948, Ethel Ray Van Alstyne, wife of Hubert Leslie Burling, 52 Mimico Ave., Mimico, and mother of Mrs. F. S. Ogilvie of New Brunswick; Mrs. George Robinson, Wallaceburg; Richard, Mimico, and Mrs. J. Armstrong and Alvin Burling, New Toronto.

Resting at the funeral home of G. H. Hogle, 63 Mimico Ave., Mimico. Service Thursday, 8 p.m. Interment Kettleby cemetery Friday.

Haight—On Thursday, July 29, 1948, at Wellstone hospital, Toronto, Charles Henry Haight, in his 90th year, last surviving son of the late Emmett and Rachel Haight, Newmarket.

The funeral service was held Saturday afternoon with interment at Newmarket cemetery.

Harman—On Thursday, July 29, 1948, at Toronto Western hospital, Elks Albert Harman, 38 Kennedy Ave., Toronto, husband of Olive Cecilia Cummings, in his 72nd year.

The funeral service was held on Saturday afternoon with interment at Aurora cemetery.

Fox—On Thursday, July 29, 1948, at Jackson's Point, Alice Fox, wife of Frederick Fox, mother of Ellen (Mrs. Sandford), Mary (Mrs. Wilson), George and Fred. Service Saturday at 3 p.m. Interment Prospect cemetery.

Rogers—Sunday, at his home, 432 Falmouth Ave., Toronto, on Thursday, July 29, 1948, Timothy Gordon Rogers, husband of Mabel Lewis, father of Sonya Gale, and son of Mrs. Rogers and the late Norman J. Rogers.

Service in the chapel Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment Newmarket cemetery.

Smith—At his home, Enderley, Friday, July 30, 1948, Kenneth Smith, husband of Marietta Allen, son, in his 81st year, father of Allan, Cecil and Mrs. Warren Remm (Hazel).

The funeral service was held in Enderley United church on Monday afternoon, Interment Maple cemetery.

Van Norman—At Coppice Chapel, Tuesday, Aug. 9, 1948, David McKell Van Norman, son of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Van Norman of Sudbury, Ont., in his 23rd year.

Service Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment in Queensville cemetery.

Williams—At Newmarket, on Thursday, July 29, 1948, Matilda Bertha Williams, wife of the late George W. Williams.

The funeral service was held Saturday afternoon, Interment Newmarket cemetery.

JOIN AUXILIARY Aurora—Three new members, Mrs. John Place, Miss Mac Health and Miss Mary Brown, were initiated as members of the Ladies' Auxiliary, Canadian Legion, at the regular meeting held on Tuesday night. The ladies are in charge of all food concessions at the Aurora Legion carnival on August 13 and 14.

NEWMARKET MIDGETS Take 23-15 Win Aurora's "South End Kids" paid a visit to Newmarket last week for a softball fixture with Ross Goheen's "Shooting Stars", a team rounded up from the midget softball league teams. In a free slugging tilt, Newmarket came out with a 23-15 win over the visitors. A return game is scheduled.

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TO SING MONDAY The Ambassador Male quartet of Eastern Nazarene College, Wollaston, Mass., will sing at the Church of the Nazarene, Newmarket, on Monday, Aug. 9, at 8 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Crowle, Millard Ave., returned today from an extended tour to the West, which took them to Banff and Jasper.

Miss Elizabeth Ferguson, Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Gillespie, Tecumseh St., a couple of days this week.

Constable G. W. Curtis and granddaughter, Dorothy May, have been spending ten days visiting his daughter, Mrs. Wm. Sutton, and family at Schumacher.

Mrs. Ward Clarkson, Niagara St., has returned home after visiting her brother at Musselman's Lake and Stouffville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Weston, Toronto, spent the long weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Long.

Mr. Merland Deavitt spent the weekend at home. Other visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Deavitt were Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Waller and mother of Nobleton, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Vennema, London, Mrs. Ernie Deavitt and Donny of Newmarket.

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Mount Albert Bowlers Will Meet August 11

There will be a public meeting of members and prospective members of the Mount Albert Bowling Club at the community hall at 8 p.m. on Wednesday, Aug. 11.

Plans for the coming year will be discussed. A full turn-out is requested.

SHARON

Mrs. W. O. Robertson, Margaret and Billy of Fort Erie, spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hall.

Mrs. Buchanan, Toronto, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Phillips.

Miss Ethel Shaw, Grand Rapids, Mich., and Mrs. Merton Shaw, Hamilton, spent the long weekend with Miss Nora Shaw and attended the Shaw-Coffey wedding in Toronto on Saturday.

Mrs. Harry Moss visited her sister in Toronto this week.

Mr. Ted Fife, Toronto, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fife.

Mr. Wm. Lawson and Mrs. Ferguson, Newmarket, visited Mr. and Mrs. James Lunney on Monday.

Mr. Jim Stevens, Kirkland Lake, has returned after spending the past two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Welby Stevens.

Mrs. Arthur Thomas and Mr. George Thomas spent a couple of days in Ottawa during the week.

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Attend One of These CHURCHES SUNDAY, AUGUST 8TH

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Rev. M. E. R. Boudreau, B.D., S.T.D., Minister Miss Mae Patterson, A.T.C.M., Organist 9:50 a.m.—Sabbath school 11 a.m.—Divine worship

FREE METHODIST CHURCH 31 Millard Ave. Rev. G. H. Bache, Pastor Sunday services cancelled in favor of the East Ontario Annual Conference held at Belhaven August 4-8

Bishop I. R. Marston presiding Business sittings every day 8:30-11:45 Religious services daily 2:30 and 8 p.m. Sunday 10:45, 2:30 and 7:30 p.m.

FRIENDS' MEETING 105 Bedford Street 11 a.m.—Meeting for worship Mr. Jonas E. C. Shepherd, also visiting Friends A. Coney and Elsie Coney of North Berwick, Maine. James Coney is superintendent of New England Yearly Meeting. Lunch will be served at the meeting house at the close of the morning meeting. Come and meet with us "Let us offer the sacrifice of praise to God continually."

CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH REV. F. BRECKON, Minister MRS. J. E. CANE, Organist Union services at Trinity United church during August

REMEMBER—JESUS CHRIST 9:50 a.m.—Bible school 11 a.m.—WORSHIP Soloist and violinist WILLIAM A. SMITH Message D.V. "The Joy of a Redeemed People" 7 p.m.—EVENING SERVICE Soloist and violinist WILLIAM A. SMITH D.V. Brief Biblical message Visitors welcome THE GOSPEL TABERNACLE 12 Millard Ave. Pianist: Miss Violet Curtis Pastor: Rev. L. James Lake

KESWICK-RAVENSHOE UNITED CHURCH Rev. Redvers Brown KESWICK: 10 a.m.—Sunday-school and adult class. 11 a.m.—Morning worship RAVENSHOE: 10 a.m.—Sunday-school 11 a.m.—Morning worship Rev. Frank Mesley in charge

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE HEAR AMBASSADOR MALE QUARTET of Eastern Nazarene College, Wollaston, Mass. MONDAY, AUGUST 9, 8 P.M. Speaker PROF. H. J. BLABY Sunday Services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday-school 10 a.m.

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Garden Tips

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More on Garden Pools
From a pool 16 square feet in size, about a pail of water will escape in a day by evaporation. Stagnation is prevented by replacing the water loss and using fish and submerged plants. It is best to keep the water level as possible, and this may be accomplished by means of the garden hose.

Informal pools are usually seen in connection with borders, rock garden and lawns very natural in character. The informal pool is the logical type to build. Things of geometric designs and conventional shapes should be avoided.

The best soil for use is a heavy sod-soil, mixed with well-rotted cow manure, but a good mixture of equal parts of good garden soil and rotted cow manure makes an equally good compost.

Soil from swamps is apt to be sour and lacking in fertility. The best soil is fibrous loam. If the soil is too light, the growth will go into leaves rather than flowers. If sheep manure is used, it should be supplied to the extent of one part to eight or ten of soil. If cow manure is not available, use ground bone, a small handful to each tub or box.

Setting out Plants
When setting out the plant, spread out the roots well, and after filling in the soil, cover with an inch of sand. Each lily should have a cubic foot of soil. A box 12 inches each way will do, but one of slightly larger dimensions is better. The lily roots spread laterally and lie close to the surface, therefore, it is better to have large shallow containers rather than deep ones of the same capacity.

In planting all aquatics, set the crown from which the leaves spring about even with the surface of the soil. The dormant rhizomes of hardy lilies and lotus tubers are generally laid horizontally or on a slight angle, although the upright roots of the Marliac type may be set vertically.

After planting, raise the water level to from three to four inches above the crowns of the plants, gradually adding more to keep pace with the growth of the leaf-stalks, until finally the water level is brought up to from 12 to 15 inches above the crowns of the plants. It is important that this is done gradually, as the sudden addition of a large amount of cold water is likely to chill and so check the lilies.

A frequent source of annoyance in ponds and pools is the appearance of a thick scum on the surface during warm weather. It is almost impossible to eradicate it, but it may be kept down by adding the following solution: one teaspoonful of saturated solution of copper sulfate (blue vitriol) to each 13

WINNIPEG RITES HAVE INTEREST

St. Alban's Anglican church, Winnipeg, was the scene of a very pretty wedding recently when Jean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Blackwell, was united in marriage to Dr. O. J. (Jack) White, son of Dr. and Mrs. E. L. White, all of Winnipeg. Mr. and Mrs. Blackwell are both former residents of Newmarket, Mrs. Blackwell being the former Miss Florence Thomson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Thomson of Millard Ave., while Mr. Blackwell was a former teller in the Bank of Montreal here. The ceremony was performed by Canon Hughes, rector of St. Alban's. The church was beautifully decorated with pink and white peonies and standards of white candles.

The bride, given away by her father, was dressed in a hair-fine corded taffeta period gown, with lace insertion forming a yoke at the scalloped neckline, lace overskirt, lily pointed sleeves, and a rounded train. Her veil was long, and was caught up by a halo-like lace headress. Her bouquet was a cascade of shatterd carnations, shading from cream to a deep pink, with white sweet peas. The bridesmaids wore periwinkle blue with hats to match, and they carried yellow carnations which were shaded to pink and violet.

The reception was held at the University Women's Club, of which the bride is a member, the clubhouse being the former lovely home of Ralph Connor, the author. The groom's mother wore grey, while the bride's mother chose dusky pink, both wearing small flower hats. After a honeymoon spent at Falcon Lake, near Kenora, Dr. White has resumed his surgical work at Winnipeg Clinic until the spring when they will go overseas.

Friends Have Camp At Waubesa

An enjoyable ten-day camp period just closed at Camp Neek-aun, Waubesa, where young friends and older friends met together in a program of worship, study and recreation which was shared by all. A class in clay modelling was one feature much enjoyed by the younger ones.

Camp host and hostess were Allan and Dorothy Haight, Norwich. Leaders were Sterling Nelson, Niagara Falls, Ont., James and Elsie Coney, New England Yearly Meeting, and Leslie and Dorothy Fraser, Richmond, Indiana.

Those attending camp from Newmarket were Lowell, Burton and Glen Kaffer accompanied by Bradley Walker, Mrs. Maria Wolfe and Rosemarie and Mavis Kaffer and on Sunday, Elmer Starr and family and David Preston.

RAVENSHOE

Mr. Joe Deavitt and cousin, Mr. George Hayes, Willowdale, are holidaying in Haliburton district this week.

Mr. Joe Hay spent a few days in Toronto this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Bennett and family are visiting Mrs. Joe Hay.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Breen spent Sunday at Peterborough.

Master Ronald Breen is visiting his aunt and uncle at Angus this week.

Master Buddy Baker is spending a few weeks with his brother, John, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irvine Rose.

SCHOMBERG

Mr. and Mrs. W. Dove, Belleville, spent the weekend with relatives here.

Mrs. Borden, who has been visiting with friends here, returned home to Aurora on Thursday.

Miss Muriel Adair spent the past week at Wasaga Beach.

Mrs. N. Wauchupe visited her aunt, Mrs. W. McKinley, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Rae, Toronto, have taken up residence with Mr. Wm. Jardine.

Rev. Turner took the services at the United church on Sunday in the absence of Rev. McLean, who is away on holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Marchant and Mrs. Haggie visited Mrs. R. Marchant at Kettleby on Sunday.

Mrs. Ralph Davis spent a few days the past week with friends in Aurora.

More Women's News On Pages 8 And 9

MIAMI BEACH

The Miami Beach sports day was a real success, especially the amateur program which was held July 31. Everyone reported a wonderful time.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Beckett spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sullivan, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Herb Sullivan.

Miss Vera Watson and Miss Mary Hogan, Toronto, are spending two weeks' holidays with Mrs. Al Lewis at Mrs. Lewis' cottage.

Mr. Oliver King is spending a few days with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred King, Ravenshoe.

Misses Kathleen and Laura Arnold, Newmarket, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver King and family.

Mr. D'Arcy Miller, Newmarket, called on Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Miller on Sunday afternoon.

Sorry to report that Mr. Oliver King is in poor health. We hope he will soon be feeling better.

Marlyn Mathews has returned home after spending a week with her grandmother in Toronto.

ZEPHYR

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Galbraith and family of Dundalk visited Mr. and Mrs. James Galbraith on Monday.

Miss Eva Lockie spent a few days last week with friends at Greenbank.

Mrs. L. Pilkey and Michael, Oshawa, spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. Walt Meyers.

Miss Jessie Lockie visited Mr. and Mrs. C. Midgley at Manchester last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Galbraith spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. Parker at their cottage at Port Bolster.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rynard spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Rynard and family at Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Palmer and Joan, Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rynard last week.

Miss Daisy Graham and Mr. Stewart Graham, Toronto, spent the holiday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Dean, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Graham. Mrs. John Phair, Sunderland, Mr. and Mrs. Art Weir, Omemee, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Griffin, Peterboro, visited Mr. and Mrs. Graham on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McNelly, British Columbia, spent a few days visiting at the homes of Mr. McNelly's sister, Mrs. Byron Armstrong, and his nephew, Mr. M. McNelly, and calling on many old friends. It is about 40 years since Mr. McNelly went west and has not been back during that time.

PINE ORCHARD

Mrs. W. Galley and Carolyn, Toronto, spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Lundy.

Mrs. John Deagon, Toronto, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. Allen and Miss Alea Widdifield.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Sylema and family spent Tuesday at Innisfil Park, Lake Simcoe.

Bogartown and Pine Orchard W.L.'s will hold their annual grandmothers' meeting at the home of Mrs. Edson Johnson on Tuesday, Aug. 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Booker, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen and Howard Windsor, were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Allen and Miss Alea Widdifield.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Grindell and family, Mr. W. Grindell and Mr. Clifford Bailey, Toronto, have been holidaying at Grindell cottage.

Farmers are busy cutting wheat which is a good crop this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Lehman and Beverly, Thornbury, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lehman.

On Sunday, Aug. 8, service at the Union church will be held at 11 a.m. and Sunday-school at 10 a.m.

Mr. Don McCallum and his mother, Mrs. W. J. McCallum, Toronto, spent the weekend at Brighton Beach, Lake Ontario, with relatives.

BELHAVEN

We are glad to report Mrs. Erwin Winch is home again after spending a few days in York County hospital.

Recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ormsby Smith on Sunday were Mr. Will Horner with his son, Charles, and wife (brother of the late Mr. M. D. Horner) and over the holiday on Monday were Mrs. Ivan Kenny, Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bray, Newmarket, and Mr. and Mrs. Reid (formerly Mrs. Hy Lancel, Belhaven), New Liskeard.

Free Methodist conference continues over the weekend including Sunday services in Belhaven Community Hall.

HOLT

Mr. Jas. Gibeay, who has been visiting at the home of his brother, Harvey, returned to his home in Drake, Sask., on Wednesday.

Mrs. Earl Pollock and children of Ravenshoe, and Mr. and Mrs. Percy Coates and Marlene had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Thompson on Sunday.

Mrs. Harvey Gibeay is spending this week as the guest of her brother, Wesley Clark, and family of Preston.

Mr. and Mrs. Everitt Wilshire, Toronto, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Wilks's uncle, Mr. Jas. W. Knott.

Several attended the Boake union held in Lions club park, Newmarket, August 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyall Trumeter, Rochester, New York, visited at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Addie Hoover, on Monday.

The annual conference of Toronto District Free Methodist church is being held at Belhaven community hall August 4.

The Sunday-school picnic is to be held Saturday, Aug. 14, at Woodland Park. Everyone welcome. Bring your basket.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Ewen and family spent Sunday with relatives at Uxbridge.

Mr. Walter Rieve, Galt, was a guest of Mr. Harvey Ewen's on Saturday.

Miss Mary Heather, Toronto, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Angus Harrison.

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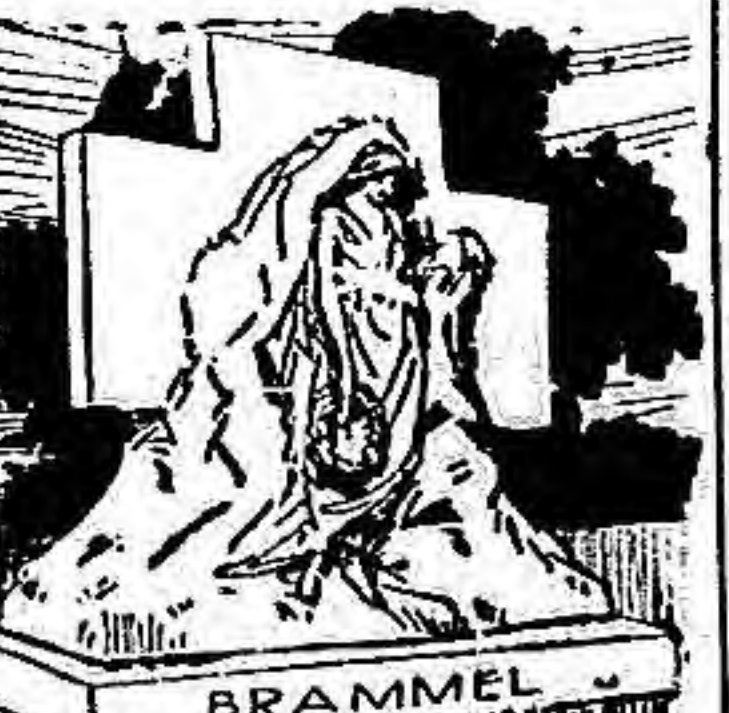
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Newmarket Social News

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—Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Rae and Carol Ann have returned home after holidaying at Wasaga Beach.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. Boudwin spent the weekend at Mitchell Lake, Haliburton.

—Miss Florence Nichols and Mr. Dave Jeffery, Toronto, spent a couple of days with Mr. and Mrs. W. Boudwin.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jefferson motored to the north to Riley Lake and Housey Rapids on Saturday and were accompanied by Mrs. Fred Webster and cousin, Miss Elizabeth Flannagan, Toronto, who has been visiting with Mrs. Webster for the last two weeks. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Hodgins at Riley Lake over the weekend.

—Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Drury, Donald and Joy, Mount Forest, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Winter. Mr. and Mrs. Lawson, Kingston, also called on Sunday.

—Mrs. E. Bray and son, Ivan, attended the decoration services at Foster Memorial cemetery, 7th con., Uxbridge, on Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Wray and Mr. Edward Brammer spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shaw and family, Mono Road.

—On their return trip from Brockville, Mr. and Mrs. Melville Broughton and Mr. and Mrs. Christie, St. Catharines, had Sunday dinner with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Broughton.

—Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Evans have returned from their holiday at Sauble Beach.

—Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Whitfield and son, Tommie, are spending the week in Toronto at the home of Mrs. Whitfield's mother, Mrs. Edward Kane.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. Hopper, accompanied by their children, Patsy and Bryan, spent last week at "The Everglades," Lake Simcoe.

—Mr. W. F. Armour has been attending the Old Home Week at Kincardine and has returned to Trinity United church parsonage.

—Miss Marjorie McCannan and Miss McManara, Toronto, spent the weekend in Newmarket with the former's mother and brother.

—Mrs. H. R. Bennett left on Saturday for Edmonton where she will visit for a month with her husband.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Duncan and family, Mr. Frank Drury and Mr. M. Duncan spent the holiday weekend at Muskoka.

—Miss Ruth Graves was the guest last week of Miss Ruby Rose, Holt.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bowling, Windsor, are guests this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Young.

—Miss Laura Summerby, Sault Ste. Marie, is visiting Dr. and Mrs. G. E. Case.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cruickshank, Toronto, accompanied by their daughter, Mary, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bothwell.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Adams spent the holiday weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Rechar, Elmira.

—Mr. Roy Sanderson, Belleville, spent the weekend in Newmarket with his wife and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. Gren Thompson spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Thompson in Hillsburg.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brethauer and son, Bill, and Mr. J. Welland have returned to Galt after a ten-day visit with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Young.

—Visitors at the Trinity United church parsonage over the holiday weekend were Rev. and Mrs. F. W. L. Brailey and Frederick and Donald Brailey, Toronto.

—Mr. and Mrs. Donald McCannan and daughter, Sharon, Trenton, and Mrs. Bert McCannan spent Monday with friends in Bracebridge.

—Mrs. Evelyn Hammond, Toronto, was the recent guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Broughton.

—Mrs. A. Stirling, Toronto, is a guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. G. E. Case.

—Miss Joyce Bothwell spent the weekend with Mrs. Helen Bothwell at Orchard Beach.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bennett and son, Freddie, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Robinson at their summer place at Pine Beach.

—Miss Ruby Rose, Holt, is a guest this week of Miss Ruth Graves.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. Guthrie, Toronto, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Hopper at their cottage at Lake Simcoe for a few days last week.

—Mrs. Lemuel Wilder, Beaver Lodge, Alberta, called on her sister, Mrs. Frank Drury, on Sunday. This is Mrs. Wilder's first visit to Newmarket in 32 years.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. J. (Cap.) Fahey and family of Guelph visited relatives in town over the weekend.

—Visitors at the Sanderson home for the holiday weekend were: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stevenson, Toronto, and Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Sanderson and family of North Dakota. After a busy day of picking berries on Monday the guests left for Toronto.

—Miss Vera Walker and a friend from Toronto spent the weekend with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Walker.

—Rev. and Mrs. Henry Cotton and Ross have returned from their holiday at Sauble Beach.

—Mrs. Wm. Young, Mr. and Bill, and Mr. J. Welland, Galt, motored last week to Ottawa.

—Mr. and Mrs. Donald McCannan, Trenton, accompanied by their children, Sharon, Bill and Wayne, were weekend guests in Newmarket of friends and relatives.

—Mrs. Wanda Voss and son, Robert, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Barber for the past two weeks.

—Wayne and Billy McCannan, Trenton, are spending their holidays in Newmarket.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Proctor, New Jersey, N.Y., spent Saturday visiting Mr. Proctor's brother, Mr. Howard Proctor.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pritchard and Barbara are holidaying for two weeks at Island Grove, Lake Simcoe.

—Mr. and Mrs. Larsen and Donnie have been spending a few days in town.

—Miss Ethel Peterman is returning to Kingston with Mrs. Larsen.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Day and young son, Allan, have moved to Queensville, where Mr. Day is building a home.

—Miss Kay Van Norman, Toronto, spent the holiday weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Evans, Victoria Ave.

—Mrs. H. J. Crowder, Millard Ave., has purchased the John Collins' home on Park Ave. and she and her two daughters, Clara and Evelyn, will move sometime this month.

—Mrs. Nash of Toronto spent the weekend in town, the guest of Mrs. Alice Thompson, Victoria Ave.

—Miss Winnie Holmes, daughter of Mrs. W. Holmes, Toronto, and the late Sergeant Wm. Holmes, is visiting Mrs. Charles Stickwood, Victoria Ave.

—Mr. and Mrs. Orla Phillips have retired from business in Toronto and have come to live in Mr. Phillips' mother's home at 11 Tecumseh St.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Evans and Marlene spent Civic holiday weekend at the home of Mr. Evans' mother, Mrs. Charles Evans, Sr., Lydia St., on their way home to Toronto after a two-week holiday at Bala.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ken Ponting have returned after a two-week holiday spent at the home of Mrs. Ponting's parents at Ottawa.

—Miss Hazel and Miss Betty Ferrugi, Brantford, spent the holiday weekend at the home of their grandmother, Mrs. Vokes, Lydia St.

—Marguerite Ryan returned to her home in Toronto after a month's holiday spent at Wasaga Beach, and at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. C. Evans, Lydia St.

—Mr. and Mrs. Bert Prost, Detroit, Mich., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Prost.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Draper and daughter, Shirley, spent a few days this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Gibbons and family.

PICNIC AT MIDHURST

Newmarket - Midhurst Park was the scene of the annual Sunday-school picnic of the Free Methodist church on August 2. Private cars and trucks transported the merry crowd of approximately 110 to the grounds. There picnic groups from the Orilla and Barrie Free Methodist Sunday-schools joined those from Newmarket and an active day of races, ball games and various sports was enjoyed by all. Perfect weather added to the pleasure of the outing.

OTHER WOMEN'S PAGE NEWS ON PAGE 7

Young Hopefuls

By DOROTHY MUIR BOWMAN

Ralph, a nine-year-old only child, was recommended for special training in an opportunity class. In Ralph's instance, his inability to learn at the rate and in the manner of regular children was due to a birth injury. well-to-do and socially belonged to the elite. They refused to believe Ralph was mentally retarded and blamed servants and teachers for not being able to discipline him, let alone teach him as other children were disciplined and taught.

Unfortunately, Ralph's parents were thinking of themselves and their family status instead of their son when they persisted in forcing him beyond his capabilities. Ralph's family didn't allow him to have the special advantages offered by the opportunity class, which would have allowed him to make progress at his own speed and receive practical training that would permit him, eventually, to lead a respectable and independent life.

The family prescribed for Ralph an education suitable for one destined to become a high executive - following the footsteps of his father. Ralph was sent away to a private school, which kept him against their better judgment, for two years. Then a note was sent home with Ralph's dismissal: "Ralph has become a bad influence. He uses the school as a playground."

After that, tutors were employed. Poor Ralph! Conscientious tutors didn't hold the favor of the family for long. They were grateful to be relieved of their hopeless task of teaching Ralph foreign languages and higher mathematics. Ralph's knowledge and command of his native tongue was too limited and his comprehension of mathematics was limited to simple arithmetic.

When Ralph was fourteen, the war came along and no tutors could be found. Lucky Ralph! Ralph now had time to do a little thinking on his own. The first move he made was to run away from home, where he had never been more than a worry. Fortunately, Ralph ran into the country onto a farm owned by a kindly elderly couple, who befriended him. After Ralph had told his story, the couple phoned the Children's Aid instead of the parents. As a result, arrangements were made for Ralph to board with his adopted parents.

For the first time in his life, Ralph is being understood! He is responding in the usual way in cases of this type—he has assumed a character. Ralph has proven himself to be kind, conscientious and reliable with the ability and the desire to earn an honest living at manual labor, despite his background of white-collared executives.

AURORA SOCIAL NEWS

Miss Jane Hodgkinson has returned home after spending her holidays with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Lindsay, Fisherman's Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rowling and family are spending this week at Virgintown.

Miss Lois Spooner of the staff of Aurora high school is vacationing in British Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McInnis are on holidays at South Porcupine.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. M. Hulse and family spent the holiday weekend at Cobourg and Picton. On Sunday Mr. Hulse was guest speaker at the Drumhead service of District "F," Canadian Legion, at Cobourg.

Mrs. Olive Rowe is in Ottawa this week with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rowe.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Graham spent the week at Midland, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Rank and Ralph are on holidays at Waubesa, Ont.

Mr. Jack Andrews is employed at Embro, Ont., this summer.

Mrs. Daniel Cameron, Newmarket, former Aurora resident, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Rose Cokerill.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold "Dinty" Moore who have spent the past year in the U.S.A., have returned to town.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Long are on holidays at Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Richards, Toronto, spent the holiday weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Richards.

Mrs. I. C. Leo is attending the Liberal convention in Ottawa this week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Marshall, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Sinton spent Civic holiday at Cobourg.

Mrs. Hugh Pearce, Timmins, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Steadman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hudson and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jones motored to Quebec City last week.

Miss June Billing is spending this week at Huntsville with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie O'Brien are on a trip to Nova Scotia.

CANCEL SERVICE

Newmarket - The regular Sunday services will be cancelled at the Free Methodist church on Sunday, Aug. 8, so that the members of the congregation may attend the services of the East Ontario Conference at Belhaven.

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The Common Round...
By Isabel Inglis Colville
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all looking as delicious as those the Knave of Hearts stole from the Queen of Hearts. We, the members of Bogartown Institute, brought salads and materials for sandwiches and took possession of the long table in the dining-room where we made sandwiches by the hundreds, while tongues went and every subject on earth was discussed from world affairs to the New Look!
The Rain Came
While we worked it grew darker and darker and we cast apprehensive glances at the sky, which lowered. Then with an angry growl, like a pouncing animal, the rain lashed down while men ran for cars or any shelter—the whole 250 of them, and we 50 women went on with our work wondering whether all the food would be needed or not.
Then, as suddenly as it began, the downpour stopped, the sun shone and a perfect day gladdened our hearts. Now you must know that a barn raising is not all sunshine and sweetness — there is always an element of danger and as we women repaired to the barnyard to watch and as we picked out the men near and dear to us, I venture to say many a little prayer went up that no untoward incident should occur. We looked at that foundation and we could see great beams lying on it, and poles and ropes, and now something was happening. A sense of expectancy filled the watchers and then we saw the poles and the ropes in the hands of those who were to use them and we saw men lying along the great beams that were to be raised up to form the skeleton of the big edifice. Now came the time when I think most of us held our breath, when as the leader gave a call, just like the call in the "Song of the Volga Boatmen," the big pike poles pushed and the long ropes pulled and slowly, but surely, the first form stood erect, while mallets drove nails into place and workers looked like "the man on the flying trapeze."
As each great form was raised, I think we all gave vent to sighs of relief, for what if a pole should break? — a rope slip? The men had been warned they were working at their own risk and cautioned to be careful—and then more careful.
I tried to keep track of a grey head, grey trousers and a blue shirt, for that was the other half of my world and one lost count of time as the fascination of watching the structure take shape absorbed us. When suddenly a voice beside me cried, "good gracious, they're almost done, and here we are!" A wild rush to the house followed. There we found that some had kept their heads better than others and we joined in the rush to set tables on the lawn and get the food on them, while Mrs. Legge, in the kitchen, managed her two great urns of coffee.
"Here They Come"
Suddenly there was a cry, "Here they come!" We could hardly believe it, for only 1 1/2 hours had elapsed since the beginning of the actual raising. But it was so and it did our hearts good to see the salads and sandwiches, tarts, pies and quantities of cake of all kinds provided by the household disappear, as men discussed crops and barn raising and satisfied the inner man.
About 25 children regaled themselves afterwards and I think got more pure enjoyment

Homemakers' Exchange
To make a perfect jelly, pectin, acid, sugar and water must be in the proper proportions. Both pectin and acid decrease as the fruit ripens, therefore, for best results, it is a good idea to use a mixture of slightly under-ripe and just-ripe fruit. The under-ripe furnishes pectin and acid while the ripe, the flavor and color. Over-cooking destroys some of the pectin so that a gummy mass is formed. Under-cooking will also result in failure. The trustworthy sheeting test to determine when jelly is cooked just right has proved very helpful. For this test a little juice is taken on a spoon and let drip off the edge. If it falls off in drops it is not finished but when the drops run together and slide off in a "sheet" the jelly is ready to be removed from the heat. The following instructions for making perfect jelly have been issued by the Consumer Section, Dominion Department of Agriculture.
To make jelly, wash apples, crabapples, plums and quinces, cut in pieces but do not peel or core. Wash grapes and remove stems. Place fruit in preserving kettle, adding sufficient water so that it can be seen through the top layer of fruit. Cook fruit until soft and mushy, crushing during cooking. Pour hot cooked fruit into moistened jelly bag made of flannel or several thicknesses of cheesecloth. Hang up over a bowl and allow to drip for several hours or overnight. Squeezing the bag increases the yield of juice and gives a more pronounced flavor but a less clear jelly. Work with small quantities of extracted juice at a time, not more than eight cups. Measure juice accurately to determine the amount of sugar to be added after boiling. Boil juice, uncovered in a broad saucepan for three minutes. Remove saucepan from heat and test for pectin. If clot does not form, continue boiling, testing frequently, until pectin test is satisfactory.
PECTIN TEST
Measure one teaspoon fruit juice and one teaspoon alcohol (rubbing alcohol may be used) into a cup or small dish. Blend quickly together and let stand 30 seconds. Do not taste. If a jelly-like mass or clot is formed, the juice contains sufficient pectin. Sugar may then be added.
Measure sugar, allowing 3 1/2 cup sugar for each cup of extracted juice, except when a heavy, solid clot forms when pectin test is made at the end of the three-minute boiling period. This heavy clot indicates that the juice is so rich in pectin that one cup of sugar for each cup of extracted juice should be used. Warm sugar slightly, then add to juice. Boil briskly, uncovered for three to ten

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Everything that went into the record books last week—and there was plenty—about Newmarket ladies' softball brigade was good. The red-suited lassies clubbed out their third straight win Thursday night before a big home following. They unleashed the full weight of their batting power to slap down Barrie Copcos 14-5. The night before it was the same story at Barrie as Valley's fell before them 22-7. So right now they are leading the league over their nearest rival, the Midland Parkides, by a full two games or four points.

Coach Chuck VanZant sent Edith Dow, or Sammy as her mates dub her, to the mound. Sammy proceeded to set down the invading "Copacos" with seven hits. She had the situation well in hand at all phases of the tilt. Backing up the masterful pitching display her mates were on their best behavior in the field.

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News 'n' Views

By George Haskett



Mickey Smith night: Newmarket and district fans climbed on the band wagon last Friday in splendid fashion to do honor to the Vets' injured left-fielder. The largest fan following in several seasons put in an appearance. To Chuck VanZant, Harry Boag, Freddie Dillman and the rest of the Vets' organization goes an orchid for their handling of the proceedings. The Bugle Band opened the fun and from then on everything went off in clock-work precision. Ken Johns and Bob McCabe handled the mike work to make it big league in every way. Like we said, "Smitty" is going to be missed by the Vets. You'll be seeing him around before long.

Baseball: It will be like old times Friday. Stouffville mid-gents will be here for the first game of the group finals against our own Lions. No need to say another word. The rivalry between the canaltown and our eastern neighbors is always at fever pitch. The series is a three-of-five. The teams move to Stouffville for a Monday fixture, back at Pantry Park Wednesday. Stouffville gets the call for the fourth game a week from this Friday. The fifth and final game, if required, goes to a neutral field. Manager Bill Haskett of the Lions will add three Aurora ball-hawks to his roster, as allowed by league rules. Gracing the canaltown uniform will be Jerry Simmons, Harold Stevenson and Andy Closs. This should help the local forces. Jerry Simmons is likely to lead right for the mound chore in the opening "to do" Friday night here.

Lacrosse: Head man Harold Gwyn has been keeping his gutted stick squad going at a merry clip. On last Thursday, they lost a 13-4 decision to Woodbridge in the local arena. Saturday the Red and Whites had an exhibition set-to with these self-same Woodbridge swingers at Beeton as part of the Beeton "Old Boys Reunion" celebration. Woodbridge once again won, 10-8. Monday the canaltown lost a 10-6 affair to Midland juniors in the Georgian Bay metropolis. The boys can't say the head man isn't doing his bit. Mr. Gwyn put in seven goals in the two exhibition tilts. It's North Peel here Thursday night. You won't regret a jaunt down to the arena to see the red and whites in action.

Specialty Rockets, Fall In 11-3 Defeat

By GEO. HASKETT, JR.

It's a caution—yes indeed—a caution what those Office Specialty fellows will do to each other in trying to win a championship—unofficial championship at that. Take for instance the skin-dig last week when Harold Craddock's Ramblers tied into Bill Robinson's undefeated Rockets—undefeated until then—and when they gathered up the players—the quick and the crippled—double checked the score book—the Rockets had been banged off 11-3.

Now we wouldn't like to say what brought about the downfall of the mighty Rockets. No, but we'll give you a hint. The Rockets (the steelmen to you and I) have been loading up the bats since licking the chair dept. They overloaded because they couldn't swing 'em around in time to hit the fast balls served up by Lloyd "Farmer" Preston on the mound for the Ramblers. "Farmer" Preston struck out no less than 15. Jerry Hugo on the Robinson hill-top was saddled with the loss as his mates failed to field up to their usual form—such as it is. Coach Craddock in an after-the-game statement had this to say: "We have several more challenges to take care of before the crown is ours, but as we finish most everything at the O.S.M., we can take care of them. There's the Gibson Clover Kickers, Drafting Room Drifters and Fraser's Woodmen—

then the championship is all ours."

Last minute flash. In an after-the-game investigation it was found both pitchers had been serving them up from the short distance pitching box. Coach Robinson says "there's grounds for a protest". A casualty list will be issued later and the elevator to the second floor is likely to need stretcher-bearers if the protest is allowed. Craddock's Ramblers: Les Blunt, J. Hodgins, Amos Andrews, Harry Boag, Pete Neufeld, Jack Swindells, Gord Shiers, Lowell Waller, Hal Craddock, Percy Pemberton, Lloyd Preston.

Robinson's Rockets: Bob Wallace, Jerry Hugo, Alvin McKnight, Mel Price, Jack LeGard, Percy Pemberton, Geo. Closs, John Gabel, Don Gibson, Tommy Williams, John Hisey, Umpire: Tod Mosier.

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WHAT THE BOYS ARE DOING

Jack Andrews, husky hockey star of Aurora Flyers who will report for a trial with Barrie juniors this fall, is pitching baseball at Embro in Oxford county where he is employed. Andrews, a portside pitcher of more than passing ability, started the season with Toronto Uniques, then shifted to Owen Sound where after winning three and losing one, he was de-barred from further competition under the residence rule.

Loring Doolittle and Gerry Acheson, two other former Aurora baseballers who have been going great guns with Uniques, made a fine showing with the North Toronto Brooklyn Dodgers junior team at Maple Leaf stadium last week. Doolittle was a starting outfielder and Acheson was one of the relief hurlers. Loring Wells, former lacrosse expert of Maple Buds, middle-aided it this week with Miss Marjorie Bailey, Maple. Congratulations are in order also for Bill Jelley, ex-Newmarket athlete, who joined the ranks of the benefactors lately.

George Stong, ex-Richmond Hill softballer who is pitching senior mushball, is also playing Canadian Legion softball with Hamilton Polish branch which is awaiting the play-offs. Newmarket ladies made an impressive showing on Monday at Cobourg, where before close to 3,000 fans they took a 4-1 win over Cobourg Pavilions. It was the first loss in 18 games for Cobourg who may provide official opposition in the P.W.S.U. play-downs. Chuck VanZant and Frank Courtney have a better balanced team than last season and should go a long way. Johnny Callanan, popular all-around athlete of Newmarket camp days, is scheduled to do his puck-chasing in Tacoma, Washington, this winter. Callanan is doing all right with his softball activities in the Beaches league this summer. Sutton Legion will represent this area in the Canadian Legion C series. The Sutton boys have been playing smart softball all summer.

Fat James, who needs no introduction in these parts, has been absent from the Mimico senior lineup the past few games as a result of injuries sustained in a car accident en route to Owen Sound. A matter of soft shoulders. But recovery will be fast.

Neighboring softball on three fronts finds the boys just about ready for the play-offs or with them already underway. Cookstown led by the redoubtable Harry Couse, is atop the South Simcoe league, with Churchill, Tottenham, Fennels, Bradford, and Stroud, Mt. Pleasant, Bond Head and Lefroy following. The first six go to the mat in the semi-finals, and only early starts have kept the first three teams in front. Best pitching performance of the year is reported from Bradford where Steve Simone forced a no-hitter over seven innings against the Mount Pleasant team. George Allison has made Stouffville softball conscious and with a record of eight wins and two losses, the Stouffville team is in the play-offs against the third-place Greenbank club. Goodwood, which finished second, is meeting Ontario Junior Farmers. Unionville is tops in the Markham area, with Cedar Grove, Bob Bangay and his Buttonville cut-ups, and Markham village ready to get down to consequences in the play-offs. Woodbridge lead the western series, with Thistleton, and King well to the fore. Schomberg ladies and Woodbridge, Aurora Diamond "H" and Stouffville lead the gals' sectors.

We haven't ignored the Lake Simcoe circuit, or the York-Simcoe ladies' softball league intentionally, but we know Brother Haskett has kept you closely informed in that regard. We can't help reminding you, however, that Newmarket Ladies are out in front, and definitely will enter the P.W.S.U. softball play-offs come September. All three men's clubs will of course hit the paydirt ball in the North Yonge League.

Simcoe Pace Quickens As End Nears

By GEO. HASKETT, JR.

Three weeks to go is the theme in the Lake Simcoe league race. The race is getting hotter by the hour. The scramble for a play-off berth is into the "do or die" stage. The last regular game is up for decision August 20. There are several postponed fixtures to reel off and then the semi-finals are under way.

Let's see now, who's licking who? There's good news from the Sharon front, for Sharon that is. We knew it was coming. Ivan Eves pitched his mates to a 12-7 win over Keswick. Harold Smith took the mound for the vanquished side. First sacker Bill Stanyer and catcher Ken "Home Run" Hodgins kept up their home-run production with one each. Don Smith, Bob Shaw and Jack Ver-non whaled the daylight out of the old horsehide in the Sharon cause.

Queensville finally gave their home folks something to celebrate. They had a rousing welcome ready for the visiting Brown Hill crew as they chalked up 11 runs in the initial frame. That was all Queensville managed but it was enough to win 11-7. Paul Knowles got credit for the Queensville win, with Duff Sedore of the Hill on the losing end.

Brown Hill matched the Queensville win with a 7-4 decision over Willow Beach to please their home audience. Duff Sedore serving up a nice brand of pitching with Cee McNeill holding the Hillers in check over most of the route. Bob Crawford, the Hillers' first sacker, connected for a long homer as his contribution to the victory.

Pine Orchard continued on their merry winning pace with a pair of victories. At Zephyr they hurled the Blues for a 12-0 win. Ted Tidman went the route for the Orchard with Ron Kester and Bill Rynard sharing the mound work for the Blues. Pine Orchard, in their second game in less than a week, had a tough time of it before easing out an 8-7 win over Brown Hill. The Clan Preston went to the Orchard mound—first it was Clarence "Bub" Preston, then "Josh" who took over to chalk up the win. Percy Bassinger toiled for the Hillers until the sixth with their regular moundsman Duff Sedore going in to wind up the fray. Pine Orchard climbed on the band wagon with four runs in the first and three in the second. After that it was Brown Hill who lived up to the scorer's work with a strong finish, pushing over two runs in

Simcoe 'Stars' Win In Mickey's Benefit

By GEO. HASKETT, JR.

Newmarket and district softball fans did themselves right proud in their support of the Mickey Smith benefit game. The largest flock of the season—in fact several seasons—was on deck to do honor to the Vets' worthy outfielder. While the fans looked on, the Lake Simcoe league All-Stars who were lending their support to the cause, coaxed and threatened with dire consequence by their appointed manager Bob Pollock, proceeded to demonstrate they were in no mood for generosity. They sank our Vets by a 11-9 count over the nine innings route.

The game had about everything the fans could ask for. First the Vets took the lead, then the visiting "stars" revised the count to grab a temporary lead and so on right down until the final out was rung up. The Lake Simcoe batsmen made the sixth their big frame with a four-run production. That gave the "All-Stars" a 10-7 margin. They held on to it to outlast the Vets.

The Vets got away well with two runs, Harvey Gibney opening with a walk and scampering home on Chuck VanZant's circuit smash. They put another two over in the third and fourth and managed singles in fifth, sixth and seventh.

The invaders from up by the big pond crashed through Joint McComb's assortment for three in the third, one in the fourth and two in the fifth. Then as

aforesaid they tuned in for four in the sixth and topped it off with a single in the seventh.

Chuck VanZant, Freddie Dillman and "Joint" McComb said it with home run efforts. Ken Hodgins, the king of the swat in the Lake Simcoe diggings, proved he could bash 'em as hard and as far as anyone with a base circling drive. Doug Eves, torn between helping the Vets and the Stars, ended up with the visitors and clouted out a homer to help their cause. All in all it was a good evening's outing.

Line-ups: The Vets, H. Gibney 3b, N. Legge rf, C. VanZant c, W. McComb p, F. Dillman 2b, J. Hisey 1b, K. Tupling ss, T. Mosier rf, T. Taylor rf, Bus Carter cf.

Lake Simcoe All-Stars: Claude Pollock (Keswick) cf, Doug Eves (Hope) ss, Doug Ross (Mount Albert) 3b, Irwin Davidson (Keswick) rf, Chas. Green (Mount Albert) lf, Ken Hodgins (Keswick) c, rf, Bill Stanyer (Keswick) 1b, Cliff Ward (Hope) 2b, Don Glover (Hope) p, "Red" Mitchell (Mount Albert) p, Clarkson Arnold (Zephyr) c, Kelly Case (Mount Albert) cf.

HOLE-IN-ONE

Earl Fielding is reported to have hit a hole-in-one at Highlands in Aurora. He used a number eight iron on the ninth hole, a distance of 120 yards. It is the first hole-in-one in three years.

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